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Mr. R. P. Rozelle
626 South Hill Street
Oceanside, California

Dear Mr. Rozelle:

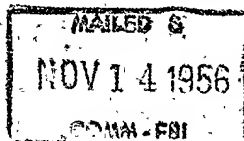
Your letter dated November 5, 1956, has been received and the motives which prompted your communication are appreciated.

While I would like to be of assistance in connection with your inquiry, I must advise that in accordance with a Departmental regulation, data contained in the files of this Bureau is maintained as confidential and available for official use only. I am sure you will understand the necessity for this regulation and no inference will be drawn because of my inability to be of assistance that we do or do not have in our files the information you have requested.

Additionally, I must advise that the Federal Bureau of Investigation, as a fact-gathering agency, does not issue evaluations or clearances of organizations, individuals or publications.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director



2 - Oklahoma City (See note page two)
1 - San Diego (Information) (See note page two)

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Letter to Mr. R. P. Rozelle
626 South Hill Street
Oceanside, California

NOTE SACS OKLAHOMA CITY AND SAN DIEGO:

Bufiles contain no identifiable information re correspondent or "Christian Crusade" to "save the U.S.A. from Walter Reuther and Communism" (CC).

Correspondent's letter reads:

"I am writing to ask if you can tell me whether you have heard of these people in Tulsa Okla. Call it 'Christian Crusade' to 'save the U.S.A. from Walter Reuther and Communism'.

"It seems Reuther got them put off a lot of radio stations and are trying to put them out of business. They are exposing Reuther and his activities on behalf of bringing about Communism in the U.S.

"It appears to me that something like they tell about could hardly get far without the knowledge of the F.B.I.

"I would be pleased to hear what you have to say.

"Thanks."

You are requested to furnish the Bureau any information in your files concerning CC and, in the absence of information therein, you should check appropriate public source records and security informants in order to fully establish the nature of the organization, CC. No active investigation should be conducted; however, information furnished by you should be accompanied by your recommendation as to whether additional investigation of CC is warranted.

The results of your inquiries, under appropriate caption, should be promptly furnished to the Bureau with reference to this communication.

R. P. ROZELLE
626 SOUTH HILL ST.
OCEANSIDE, CALIFORNIA

Nov. 5 1956

J. Edgar Hoover,
F.B.I.
Washington D.C.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/28/56

FROM : SAC, SAN DIEGO (100-11343)

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
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Rebulet to R. P. ROZELLE, Oceanside, California,
dated 11/14/56, copy of which was furnished the Oklahoma City
and San Diego Offices.

The indices of the San Diego Office contain no record of either ROZELLE or of the Christian Crusade. Confidential informants of the San Diego Division who are conversant with most of the subversive activity in the area have no knowledge of the Christian Crusade.

Public source records including the city and telephone directories, San Diego Gas and Electric, San Diego Merchants Central Credit Bureau, San Diego Better Business Bureau and public library indices of the San Diego Union - Tribune and New York Times contain no record of Christian Crusade.

No further investigation is being conducted by the San Diego Division unless inquiry by the Oklahoma City Office develops basis for additional inquiry.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: Dec. 21, 1956


FROM : SAC, Oklahoma City 105-284

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SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE,
R. P. ROZELLE, Informant
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Rebulet to R. P. ROZELLE, 626 S. Hill St.,
Oceanside, California, dated 11/14/56.

The following Informants have been contacted
in the Oklahoma City Division by SA MAX L. GREENSTREET
with negative results concerning the Christian Crusade:

 contacted 11/23/56
contacted 11/23/56
contacted 11/26/56
contacted 12/4/56

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No record of the Christian Crusade has been
located in the files of the Tulsa Police Department or
the Retail Merchants Credit Bureau, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

It is believed possible that the Christian
Crusade mentioned in relet might in some way be connected
with the Christian Nationalist Crusade, which was organized
by GERALD L. K. SMITH, Subject of Bufile 62-43818.

UACB no further investigation being conducted
by this office. RUC.

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July 11, 1957

Mr. B. C. Branson
Post Office Box 28
Clarence, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Branson:

Your letter dated June 27, 1957, with enclosure,
has been received.

Although I appreciate the interest prompting your
writing, it is not within the scope of my authority to forward mail
as you requested. Your enclosure is being returned.

Sincerely yours,

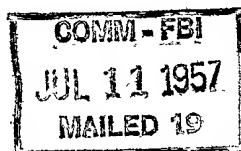
John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosure

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NOTE: Correspondent enclosed a printed brochure, entitled "United Nations-a confidential report," distributed by the Christian Crusade, Box 977, Tulsa, Oklahoma. This publication is strongly anti-United Nations. On this publication, correspondent had written, "Please deliver to the President." No copy believed necessary for retention in Bufiles.

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Branson
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Mr J Edgar Hoover

Dear Sir Please find enclosed one copy
of a folder that I and millions of good
Americans would like to know for sure
reaches the hands of our President &
not B. Held up by some of the reds that
are placed where they can keep any
such information as this & also some
of the facts about the affects of the
fall out of atom dust such as the
killing of more than 75 Percent of all
kind of small birds west of the Ohio
river. also I tried to get a report to
him of the fact that after the big
explosion in Wm. 3 or 4 yrs ago
that there were 9 small kindergarden
children going home from school & it
happened the kids picked up & ate some
of those Hail stones & the atom dust
in the Hail killed 3 & put the other
in the Hospital & I have not heard
whether they ever got well & if so
no one can tell what affect it will
have on their future lives. as I
lost contact with my source of information
in Austin B C Branson.

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October 18, 1957

Mr. Nicholas Yost, Jr.
Hamilton Fixture Company, Inc.
Post Office Box 207
Laurel, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Yost:

Your letter dated October 12, 1957, with enclosure, has been received.

Although I would like to be of service, I am unable to answer your inquiry since this Bureau is strictly a fact-gathering agency and does not make evaluations or draw conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual.

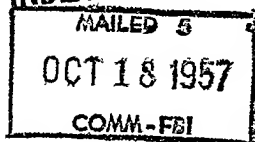
I know you will understand the reasons for these rules and will not infer either that we do or that we do not have information relating to the pamphlet you forwarded. This publication is being returned.

Sincerely yours,

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John Edgar Hoover
Director

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cc - Oklahoma City, with copy of incoming and enclosure
ATTENTION SAC: See your file 105-284. Reurlet
12/21/56.

NOTE: The publication forwarded currently is strongly anti-United Nations, and we have had citizen inquiries in the past concerning publications distributed by the Christian Crusade. (100-424820)

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find a phamplet on the United Nations edited by Billy James Hargis, distributed by the Christian Crusade, Box 977, Tulsa, Oklahoma. I would be most appreciative if you would be kind enough to let me know the validity of the enclosed and whether or not the people responsible for publication of the phamplet are responsible American citizens.

The enclosed was brought to the attention of myself and some of my friends who get together quite often and discuss world affairs in general. We were quite concerned about the apparent influx and acceptance of communism as indicated by the phamplet but would like to have your opinion as to its validity before we accept any part of the document as any basis for opinion. If it is good, we have considered getting a number of copies to send to people we feel should read it.

Thanking you for your assistance in this matter, I am,

Yours respectfully,

Nicholas Tost, Jr.
Nicholas Tost, Jr.

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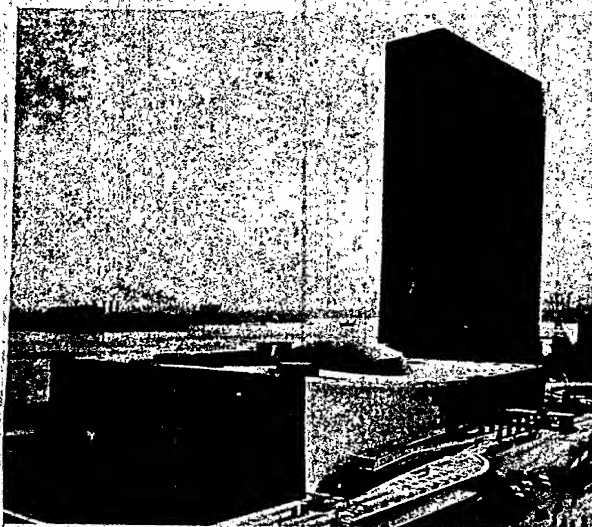


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UNITED NATIONS

- a confidential report



Research by

JULIAN E. WILLIAMS

Edited by

Billy James Hargis, D. D.

**CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
BOX 977
TULSA, OKLA.**

UNITED NATIONS
A Confidential Report

On July 23, 1952 the New York Times quoted Eleanor Roosevelt as saying, "...through the United Nations we can go on with negotiations and pray for a pure heart and clean hands which may eventually bring us the confidence even of the Soviet Union..." In other words, the terrifying peril hanging over the free world today is caused by the Soviet Union's lack of confidence in us and we may be able to gain their confidence through a pure heart and clean hands in the U. N. Thus reasons one of the most famous of the UN boosters. A more complete lack of understanding of the communist conspiracy would be hard to imagine.

President Eisenhower has described the United Nations as "sheer necessity." Never before in our history has an organization been as loudly and widely eulogized as the U. N. We get it on radio, television, newspapers, popular magazines, church pulpits, and our children are fed a steady diet of it in many schools. Facts are seldom dealt with. The UN boosters deal in emotions and appeal to America's basic desire for peace. Seldom is anything adverse to the UN heard from the well-springs through which much American public opinion is formed.

Is there another side to the U. N. story? Those of us who have by-passed the propaganda and dug into the facts know there is another side to this important question. We think that Americans should take a good close look at some important facts before accepting today's popular theory of the sanctity of the United Nations.

BACKGROUND OF THE U. N.

A major idea of the U. N. is collective security. The communists were preaching this line almost 20 years ago. On December 22, 1937 the Daily Worker ordered U. S. communists to "put pressure on Congress for immediate collective security policy." On January 6, 1938 the Daily Worker stated, "The real issue is collective security before it is too late."

The future form of the U. N. was drafted at the Dumbarton Oaks conference in 1944. Alger Hiss was Executive Secretary of this hush-hush affair at which the press and public were excluded. Hiss was No. 1 man in the State Department on U. N. planning.

Alger Hiss was the busiest and most influential counselor who went to the Yalta Conference with President Roosevelt in 1945. He was the only official counselor with Roosevelt during private meetings with Stalin. During the fight over the Kremlin's demand for 16 votes in the United Nations to our one, Roosevelt, Hiss, Stalin, and Charles Bohlen were left alone in a conference room. When Roosevelt came out of the room with Alger Hiss he told his advisors that an agreement had been reached which would give the Soviets three votes against one for the United States in the General Assembly of the U. N. To the protests of the American delegation President Roosevelt said, "I know I shouldn't have done it. But I was so tired when they got hold of me." 1/ Who were they? The only people in the room besides Roosevelt were Stalin, Hiss, and Bohlen.

Upon his return from Yalta, Alger Hiss prepared the agenda for the San Francisco conference in April, 1945. He organized the American delegation and was the Secretary General, the chief executive officer at San Francisco. Visitor's passes bore the Alger Hiss signature.

Harry Dexter White represented the Treasury Department at San Francisco and served as chairman of the commission which established the International Monetary Fund, a UN agency. Later he became U. S. Executive Secretary of the fund in spite of F.B.I. warnings to the White House that he was a Soviet agent.

The major speech at the San Francisco meeting by Secretary Stettinius was written in large part by Dalton Trumbo, one of the "Hollywood 10" later indicted for refusing to answer questions regarding his connection with the communist conspiracy.

It is an international mystery as to who actually wrote the U. N. charter. Many well informed Americans think it was written by Alger Hiss and Molotov. At any rate, if we get behind the nice sentiments which entrap the gullible and examine the philosophy of government in the charter we will find it is taken almost entirely from the phoney constitution of the Soviet Union.

1/ "Roosevelt and Hopkins" by Robert E. Sherwood, pg. 667 - Harper Brothers, 1948

2/ News and Views, Feb. 1953 - Church League of America, 1216 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Illinois.

The UN charter does not even pretend to stand for freedom. It stands for peace and plenty, guaranteed by an all powerful super-government. When the charter was approved, Alger Hiss had the responsibility of flying it back to Washington.

"Political Affairs," the communist monthly in New York which transmits Moscow's directives to U. S. conspirators, said in its April, 1945, issue, "Great popular support and enthusiasm for United Nations policies should be built up, well organized and fully articulate. But it is also necessary to do more than that. The opposition must be rendered so impotent that it will be unable to gather any significant support in the Senate against the U. N. Charter and the treaties which will follow . . ."

After the San Francisco conference Alger Hiss helped organize and staff the American mission to the U. N. According to a report of the House Judiciary Committee, Hiss secretly recommended nearly 500 persons for the U. N. employment. Many of these were employed. 1/ Plenty of proof of the success of Hiss and other communists in getting Kremlin sympathizers on the U. N. payroll was found during investigations by a New York Grand Jury and the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee during 1952 and 1953.

SUBVERSION WITHIN THE U. N.

100 U. N. employees were questioned by the New York Federal Grand Jury. The FBI had reported highly derogatory information on 53 of these to the State Department. On December 2, 1952 the Grand Jury issued a presentment in which it stated, ".... this jury must, as a duty to the people of the United States, advise the court that startling evidence has disclosed infiltration into the United Nations of an overwhelmingly large group of disloyal United States citizens, many of whom are closely associated with the international communist movement . . . Their positions at the time we subpoenaed them were ones of trust and responsibility in the United Nations Secretariat and its specialized agencies."

The Grand Jury went on to inform us that some of the U. S. citizens in posts at the United Nations have records of criminal arrest and convictions.

During the United Nations hearings of the Senate Subcommittee on Internal Security, 27 American employees invoked the fifth amendment when asked about their connection with the communist conspiracy. They refused to answer questions such as, "Are you now engaged in an active conspiracy to overthrow the United States Government by force and violence?" and "Are you presently engaged in espionage against the United States?"

In the conclusions of their report on "Activities of U. S. Citizens Employed by the U. N." the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, composed of 5 Republicans and 4 Democrats, unanimously declared, "American communists who had been officials of the United States Government penetrated the Secretariat of the United Nations after the United States Government had been apprized of security information regarding their conspiratorial activities."

Former Secretary General Trygve Lie dismissed some of these American citizens who invoked the fifth amendment on questions regarding their conspiratorial activities. The dismissed employees appealed their cases to the U. N. Administrative Tribunal and eleven of these were awarded cash payments of close to \$200,000. The U. N. General Assembly's Budgetary Committee voted to pay these damages and killed a proposal to subject the Tribunal's later decision to review. Think of how fantastic and terrifying this is. Our tax money goes to pay American communists who are working for the violent overthrow of our freedom and then we are to have no right to keep these disloyal Americans from working in the UN for our destruction.

The brief attempts at security measures in these cases was deplored by the American Association for the United Nations, which claims many prominent Americans in its membership.

The Soviet Union and its captive governments are entitled to up to 237 policy level positions in the UN Secretariat. In addition, many of the rest of the positions are held by communists and sympathizers from socialist nations which openly allow communists in their governments. Also, we must include the Kremlin's helpers from America who have infiltrated the UN. In 1952, the "U. S. News and World Report" cited an "informed estimate" that as many as 50% of the 1300 policy-level staff members of the UN were either communists or willing to follow communist directives. I doubt seriously if a dozen of the other half of the staff members of the UN understand communism or work against it in any way.

1/ "The Twenty Year Revolution", by Chesley Manly, Pg. 190. Henry Regnery Co., 1954.

Americans in the United Nations are not encouraged to work for America's interest. Back during 1953 Dag Hammerskjold, Secretary General of the UN, said that "members of the staff must maintain a loyalty to the organization and to no one else. They must not accept pressure or advice from any government. This applies in a very strong sense to their own government." Hammerskjold has repeatedly shown a disposition to resist the contention that he is under any obligation to discharge pro-communist Americans.

During October, 1954 the United Nations put out a handbook for employees which told them to put loyalty to the UN above loyalty to their own countries. Anyone who is even slightly informed on the nature and methods of international communism knows that all this does not and could not apply to UN employees and delegates from the Soviet Union and the Kremlin's captive nations outside the Soviet Union.

PERFORMANCE OF THE U. N.

The United Nations boosters tell us that in spite of all its weaknesses we should consider the wonderful achievements of the UN and besides it is the world's best hope for peace. Is it? Let's look into a few of these so-called achievements, the performance of the UN.

The United Nations was supposed to relieve mankind from the crushing burden of armaments. Americans are now paying over 50 billion dollars per year for armaments and foreign aid.

During 1953 the United Nations Economic and Social Council was asked to discuss the use of slave labor in the Soviet Union. The Council refused to discuss the matter and removed it from the agenda. As far as the UN was concerned, slave labor could continue.

In 1952, the Free Trade Union Committee of the AFL brought to the attention of the UN the fact that communists in Red China had committed 14 million political murders. The UN took no action. 1/

The UN Security Council's attempt to end the Berlin blockade was stopped by a Soviet veto. The blockade was broken by the United States airlift without UN aid. The UN is credited with saving Greece from the communists. Actually, Greece was saved by direct American assistance.

UN propagandists claim that the United Nations is responsible for getting Soviet troops out of Iran. Actually, they did not leave until the Iranian Prime Minister met the Kremlin's demand for an oil concession in northern Iran. Besides, the Kremlin was not ready to risk a shooting war with the U. S. and Britain at that time.

After more than four years of UN efforts, India and Pakistan decided to try to settle their own problem which is a much more effective way than the "debating society" hoax which has captured the minds of so many people. Unrest and trouble has grown among the colonial and semi-colonial people of Asia and Africa.

The United Nations claims the Korean War as a victory for the collective security principle in its first test. Only 15 members of the 60 nation UN, besides the United States, sent combat units to Korea and the United States bore 95% of the burden. This does not include our gallant South Korean allies who are not members of the United Nations.

On December 1, 1950 General MacArthur told the "US News and World Report" that the limitations imposed upon his command were "an enormous handicap without precedent in military history." Generals Van Fleet, Mark Clark, Stratemeyer, Almond, and Admiral Joy have testified before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee regarding the way their hands were tied in a war which could have easily been won. Instead, we settled for a truce on communist terms.

In June of 1951 the UN members and left wingers in our government induced the US to accept Moscow's proposal for armistice talks at a time when the communists were hard pressed and needed time to build up their forces. From May 15 to May 30, they had been driven back more than 20 miles and had suffered 100,000 casualties.

State Department Bulletin No. 422A of August 3, 1947, identified Lt. General Vasilev, of the Red Army, as Chairman of the Military Staff Committee of the UN which prepared a report containing "recommendations of the general principles governing the organi-

1/ Checklist on the UN, American Mercury, March, 1956.

zation of the armed forces made available to the Security Council by member nations of the United Nations." 1/

Article 47, Paragraph 3 of the UN Charter says, "The Military Staff Committee shall be responsible under the Security Council for the strategic direction of any armed forces placed at the disposal of the Security Council."

A Department of Defense press release dated May 15, 1954 told of the Russian advisors who were attached to the North Korean army and apparently running the show. The release said, "A North Korean Major identified two of these Russian advisors as Lt. General Vasilev and Colonel Dolgin. Vasilev, he said, was in charge of all movements across the 38th parallel." 2/ This was the same Vasilev who was chairman of the Military Staff Committee which was responsible for the strategic direction of UN armed forces and he was now on leave of absence from the United Nations. Thus it appears that Vasilev planned how we were to fight the Korean War and then went to North Korea to direct the communist forces.

Is it any wonder that our generals have testified as they have? Ted Williams, of the Boston Red Sox knew something was wrong in Korea when he was there in 1953 and he said that he was happy to be leaving because he felt the United States was not trying to win the war.

The UN Security Council, with our Mr. Lodge's support, adopted a resolution calling for an end of the anti-communist revolution to free Guatemala from the communist conspiracy. Guatemala would be a Soviet state today if Col. Armas had not had the good sense to ignore the United Nations.

Many treaties such as the Covenant on Human Rights, designed to control American domestic policy, are being pushed by the United Nations and its specialized agencies. The Commission On Human Rights refused to approve inclusion in the covenant of a provision covering the basic American right to own private property. On March 3, 1954, over only U. S. and Turkish objections, the 18 nation commission voted to shelve indefinitely all discussion of property rights.

The communist inspired UN Charter has been cited as domestic law in our American courts.

At the 10th Anniversary celebration in San Francisco during 1955, the presiding officer ruled out of order any speaker making the slightest criticism of communism but permitted Molotov to make the longest address and the most bitter denunciation of other member states. The Cuban delegate protested and he was backed by Dr. Romulo of the Philippines, but our delegation of strange Americans remained silent. This UN celebration was true to the spirit of the original Alger Hiss dominated affair at San Francisco ten years earlier.

Special U. N. forces have already made practice seizures of several American cities under the UN flag. What are they practicing for? We can be assured that they are not practicing for a future seizure of communist controlled cities behind the Iron Curtain.

So they say the UN is serving the cause of peace. Don't let them fool you. During the years of the United Nations' existence the Soviet Union has enslaved almost 700 million additional persons. When the UN began, the communists held 200 million behind the curtain and now they hold almost 900 million. They rule almost half the earth's population. Furthermore, this terrifying expansion began with America at the height of its military power and the communists a weak slave empire which we had to equip in World War II. Let no more be said about the glorious achievements of the United Nations.

CRITICISM OF THE U. N. NOT ALLOWED

Criticism of this communist-socialist dominated international organization is suppressed to a degree that should make any open minded American sit up and do some serious thinking.

Mr. George Todt, an N. B. C. commentator in California was dropped from his N. B. C. program without notice after he exposed some of the blacked out facts about the United Nations. Later his articles were dropped from the Highland Park News Herald. 3/ During 1955, Ron B. Ramsey, a 16 year old high school boy in Compton, California, was writing letters to the editors of newspapers and magazines. His letters were well written, factual and strongly anti-United Nations. He also complained of subversive materials in his classes. Ron was committed to a county institution as a mental case.

1/ "Documentations of U.N. Plot to Destroy U.S." by Myron C. Fagan-Bulletin No. 43, Pg. 19-Cinema Educational Guild, P.O. Box 46205, Hollywood 46, California.

2/ Ibid, Pg. 21

3/ American Public Relations Forum Bulletin #39, Mar., 1955, Bx 587, Burbank, Calif.

In Court he was released to his grandmother on 12 months probation, with the provision that he stop writing letters to the papers. 1/ Is this the type "freedom" which was established by our Founding Fathers?

However, there are prominent people who dare to criticize this international monstrosity. Lord Beaverbrook, Canadian born British publisher, told we Americans in December that we had "erected the biggest fifth column headquarters in the world - the UN." He said, "It is filled with men who wish to subvert the government of the United States. Yet you pay out your good money to bring these people in your midst." After elaborating on this, he said, "Every night before I turn in I look out the window at the UN building lighted from top to bottom . . . and as I go to sleep I say to myself . . . what a waste of electricity!"

In an address in Chicago on August 9, 1954, J. B. Matthews summed up my view of the UN better than I could sum up my own. He said, "I challenge the illusion that the UN is an instrument of peace . . . it could not be less of a cruel hoax if it had been organized in hell for the sole purpose of aiding and abetting the destruction of the United States." What a pity it is that so many Christians in America who duped into working to promote the false picture of this anti-Christ organization which is so widespread already.

The carefully conceived and brilliantly executed plan to destroy America is moving along toward its completion without the slightest protest from our politicians. This is serious, deadly serious business. Do not deceive yourself - it can happen here and is happening here! I urge all who read this essay to please not just sleep it off and forget all about the evil, clever forces which are destroying our nation. Etienne Gilson once wrote in the "Ladies Home Journal," - "It is not hard to find the truth. What is hard is not to run away from it once you have found it." I think this sums up the great weakness of many Americans today.

The informed American should write factual letters to newspapers and magazines concerning the UN and other matters vital to our security; work at the precinct level in the political party of his or her choosing to bring these vital truths into the political campaigns and to prevent the enemies of our nation from completely taking over politics; and, above all, work in every way possible to awaken sleeping Americans from their apathy and an appalling ignorance, brought about by years of subtle brainwashing through the press, radio, TV, schools, book reviews, and even from Church pulpits.

Just as surely as they succeeded in betraying Poland, Hungary, China, and other nations to the international communist conspiracy, these same enemies and their dupes, sitting in high places in the UN, our government and throughout our society, will succeed in betraying America into the Soviet slave world - if Americans do not wake up and act vigorously. Let us each contribute his utmost effort to keep it from happening here - to keep America free for our children.

GOD HAS SOMETHING TO SAY ABOUT OUR UNHOLY ALLIANCES

In the Old Testament, there is a commandment of God that America must heed for salvation. Joshua 23:6-11: "Be ye therefore very courageous to keep and to do all that is written in the book of the law of Moses, that ye turn not aside therefrom to the right hand or to the left; that ye come not among these nations, these that remain among you; neither make mention of the name of their gods, nor cause to swear by them, neither serve them, nor bow yourselves unto them; but cleave unto the Lord your God, as ye have done unto this day. For the Lord hath driven out from before you great nations and strong; but as for you, no man hath been able to stand before you unto this day. One man of you shall chase a thousand: for the Lord your God, he it is that fighteth for you, as he hath promised you. Take good heed therefore unto yourselves, that ye love the Lord your God!"

Notice God's message to America. (1) We are commanded to both read and obey the Word of the Lord that we may know His precious will . . . "Keep and do all that is written in the book". (2) Fear no nation that threatens us . . . enter no unholy alliances with foreign powers that do not hold sacred to their hearts God's Bible . . . "come not among these nations . . . neither serve them (their false gods and

1/ Dan Smoot Report, March 30, 1956, Box 1305, 1430 San Rafael Dr., Dallas, Texas

ideologies), nor bow yourselves unto them . . . no man hath been able to stand before you unto this day . . . the Lord fights for you". (3) The Father of our Lord Jesus Christ promises a Christian nation victory . . . He will fight for the Christian nation . . . our enemies will be scattered before us . . . we have nothing to fear . . . go to war with God's guidance and victory is ours . . . "the Lord hath driven out from before you great nations and strong . . . one man of you shall chase a thousand . . . take good heed therefore unto yourselves (not your enemy), that you love the Lord your God."

Need I remind you that God gave us victory during both World Wars? God has granted this nation every blessing we now enjoy. We have the greatest opportunity of any nation in history to lead the nations of the world in righteousness and strength. But, we cannot lead free nations into paths of victory by associating ourselves with organizations like the United Nations, that bear the curse of God. The U. N. has never recognized God Almighty . . . and in fact, includes in its constituency nations that defy and despise our Lord Jesus Christ. Communism is atheism. It is satanic. God can and will destroy the world menace of communism, should our people return to the Christian principles upon which this country was established, and work the works of Him that sent us, while it is yet day.

Research by:
Julian E. Williams

Edited by:
Billy James Hargis, D. D.

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
Box 977 * * * * * Tulsa, Oklahoma

North Pacific Air, Oceanside, Calif Aug 1, 1959.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Bel Chano Hotel,
La Jolla, Calif.

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Christian Crusade

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As an outstanding fighter against Godless International Communism, you are invited to attend the Convention of Christian Crusade at the Tulsa Hotel, Tulsa, Okla. Aug. 7 to 9th. Radio Station X.E.R.B. broadcasts Anti Communism programs daily on 1090 on the Dial at 8:30 P.M. P.D. & T. San Diego.

Over a year ago Ray D. Goodman, former Secretary of Oceanside Moose Lodge, escaped with lodge funds. He is supposed to have left the state. A prominent Eagle told me "he broke up the local Eagle lodge". He is badly wanted by the Bonding company, who paid back to the lodge all the money he took. His greed for money not his own got him mixed up with the Internal Revenue Bureau. He lost a Back Room Cafe, and nearly lost his local residence. He is said to be a Mental Case, with a dual personality like "Doctor Jekyll and Mr. Hyde". Very refined and educated one minute, a devil who roars and acts like a wild black Puma, the next.

Modern Paul Revere is on his way, not on his horse, but over the Air waves saying "Save Brain Washed America For God and Our Children".

United States Day Oct 23.

Very cordially,

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Selden T. Cook.

Descendant of George Washington

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Jones to Dickson
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: August 7, 1959

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: MR. SELDEN T. COOK
1001 NORTH PACIFIC AVENUE
OCEANSIDE, CALIFORNIA

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Gandy	_____

By letter dated August 1, 1959, addressed to the Director at the Del Chano Hotel, La Jolla, California, Cook invited the Director to attend the convention of Christian Crusade at the Tulsa Hotel, Tulsa, Oklahoma, August 7-9. Mr. Cook also discusses in his letter the alleged embezzlement of funds from the Oceanside Moose Lodge by Ray D. Goodman, former secretary of the Lodge. Cook indicates that Goodman is badly wanted by the Bonding Company.

In 1950, Seldon T. Cook, 1323 South Pacific Avenue, Oceanside, California, submitted a complaint to this Bureau alleging violation of the impersonation statute on the part of one Harvey Shepard, Jr. He was interviewed in this connection but did not have any facts to support his complaint. In March, 1952, based upon a letter received from Cook, he was interviewed regarding information that Harvey C. Shepard had swindled from him \$1500 to \$2000 again alleging impersonation. It was determined that there was no violation over which the FBI has jurisdiction. The San Diego Office advised that prior correspondence and information in their file between 1942 and 1944 indicates that Cook may be mentally unbalanced. In March, 1952, the San Diego Office advised that Cook was 65 years of age, employed as a janitor at Camp Pendleton and appeared to be somewhat mentally unbalanced living in a most unkempt basement apartment. We have acknowledged only one previous letter from him which was in August, 1950, in relation to the above impersonation matter.

Ray D. Goodman is not identifiable in Bufiles. We have had considerable correspondence with the Christian Crusade which organization is very anti-United Nations and we have had a number of previous inquiries regarding it. Radio Station XERB which Cook mentions broadcasts anti-communism programs, is located in lower California near Mexico, and during the war it was involved in pro-enemy activities in Mexico.

RECOMMENDATION: That his letter not be acknowledged in view of the information set forth above.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 2/25/60

FROM : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (62-0)

SUBJECT: [redacted] "Special Investigator,
Un-American Activities Committee, USA";
CHRISTIAN CRUSADE, Tulsa, Oklahoma
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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By letter of 2/15/60, [redacted]
[redacted] Association of Commerce, Lake Charles,
Louisiana, forwarded to this Office a letter dated Febru-
ary 14, 1960, directed to the Association of Commerce by
one [redacted]. The letter is signed by [redacted] as
"Special Investigator, Un-American Activities Committee,
USA."

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[redacted] advises that he was stopping in Lake
Charles en route to Washington, D. C. "to confer with
Southern Senators in regards to Civil Rights bills coming
up Monday, Feb. 15th" and that he noted in the local paper
that the motion picture "On The Beach" was scheduled for
showing in Lake Charles. He objects to the picture and
describes it as a Communist-fostered plot to poison the
minds of our young people. He states he is unable to go
into full details but suggests full information may be ob-
tained by contacting CHRISTIAN CRUSADE, P. O. Box 977
Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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A copy of [redacted] letter is forwarded here-
with to the Bureau and Oklahoma City Office for information
purposes.

No further action is contemplated by the New
Orleans Office.

- ② - Bureau (Encl. 1)
2 - Oklahoma City (Encl. 1)
1 - New Orleans
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SUB. [redacted]

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Lake Charles La

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Lake Charles La.

Association of Commerce

Copy to Lake Charles Express Press

Continued.

While stopping here in your fair
city. to keep in note in your
Lake Charles Express Press on page 41 -
column one two. The comment of
The Shaming or presence of a picture
(on The Beach) by [redacted]

it one of just showing pictures -
The comment on somewhat of a shock
and surprise to [redacted] of
Local Louisiana Christmas home
that is a well known fact. This
picture took (on The Beach) - a
the Rep comment on the picture
and the fact that by the comment
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against these Amusements.

This picture has been condempned in several
Large Southern Cities. Such as
Birmingham Ala Jackson Miss
Little Rock Ark and other Large
Southern Cities. Through all this
I exert my time would allow me
to go more fully into the purpose
of this picture. But since
I am on my way to Washington D.C.
to confer with Sen. Harlan in
regards to civil rights. Bills
coming up. Monday Feb. 15 to
it will be impossible for me to
go into full details. However
you may see full details in
the Matter by contacting
Christian Crusade. P.O. Box 977.
Tulsa Okla.
Due to the fact that by stating and
typing writing letters to people
before ahead of me

III

Out of both efforts I have to
direct to the drinking
you can make it and
for the benefit of all good
Christian people in the Church.

Sincerely yours.



Special Investigator
Los Angeles Action Committee
K.A.G.

In haste -

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1 - [redacted]

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SAC, New Orleans

March 18, 1960

Director, FBI (100-424820)

Be [redacted] "Special Investigator, ^{LA}
 Un-American Activities Committee, USA", ^{DC}
 CHRISTIAN CRUSADE, Tulsa, Oklahoma
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This is to advise that there is no one
 by the name of [redacted] currently employed
 by the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

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1 - Oklahoma City

NOTE ON YELLOW:

[redacted] Lake Charles,
 Louisiana, Chamber of Commerce, furnished New Orleans
 a letter he received signed as captioned above. [redacted]
 advised he was en route to Washington to confer with
 Southern Senators in regard to Civil Rights. He also
 noted that the motion picture "On the Beach" was scheduled
 for showing in Lake Charles. He described the picture as
 a communist fostered plot to poison the minds of our young
 people and suggested that full details be obtained by
 contacting Christian Crusade, Post Office Box 977, Tulsa,
 Oklahoma.

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HCUA [redacted] advised.

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100-424820-11

June 8, 1960

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Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated May 31, 1960, with its enclosure, has been received, and the interest which prompted your communication is indeed appreciated.

In response to your inquiries, I must advise that the jurisdiction and responsibilities of the FBI do not extend to furnishing evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, publication or organization.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

1 - Washington Field (enclosure)

ATTENTION: SAC, WASHINGTON FIELDALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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Enclosed is a copy of correspondent's communication. Bufiles contain no identifiable data concerning the correspondent or the 20th Century Reformation Hour Broadcast. The enclosure to correspondent's letter was a four-cent postage stamp.

NOTE TO WASHINGTON FIELD, CONTINUED, PAGE TWO

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NOTE TO WASHINGTON FIELD. CONTINUED

The Christian Crusade is very anti-United Nations and the Bureau has had a number of previous inquiries regarding it. The Bureau has not investigated this organization. (100-424820)

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent is concerned about the influence communism is having on the citizens of this and other countries. She requested the Bureau's opinion of the 20th Century Reformation Hour Broadcast from Collingswood, New Jersey, and the Christian Crusade Broadcast from Tulsa, Oklahoma. She has been told by some who oppose the broadcasts that the broadcasts do more harm than good.

Four-cent postage stamp submitted by correspondent being used in reply.

[Redacted]
May 31, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Like all true Americans should be, I am much concerned about the influence which Communism is having on the citizens of the United States as well as those of other countries. I read sometime ago in The Evening Star, that you said communism had increased greatly in the United States, since the visit of Khrushchev to our country. Also I heard on the Christian Crusade Broadcast that you had said your work had doubled since the visit of Khrushchev. I would like to know your opinion of the 20th Century Reformation Hour Broadcast, originating in Collingswood, New Jersey and the Christian Crusade Broadcast from Tulsa, Oklahoma, if it is feasible for you to give it. I have been told by some who oppose these broadcasts, that they are doing more harm than good. If they are doing good, they should be encouraged, but not if they are doing harm.

Very respectfully
[Redacted] *h*

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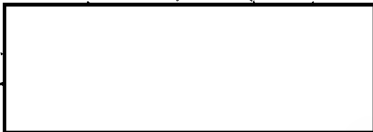
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July 11, 1960

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Dear [Redacted]

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AND FIELD OFFICES
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Your letter and enclosures were received on July 5, 1960, and the thought prompting your writing is appreciated.

Thank you for bringing the leaflet you forwarded to our attention, and I want to assure you in this connection that the FBI is making every effort to discharge our responsibilities in protecting the internal security of our Nation within the limits of our jurisdiction.

In the event you acquire further data which you believe to be of concern to this Bureau, please feel free to contact the representatives of our office located at 402 U. S. Court House Building, Portland 5, Oregon. Enclosed is material of possible interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover

Director
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Enclosures (5) (listed next page)

1 - Portland - Enclosure

ATTENTION SAC: Correspondent enclosed literature disseminated by Billy James Hargis, Director of the Christian Crusade, Post Office Box 977, Tulsa, Oklahoma. (SAC note continued next page)

NOTE: (see next page)

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Hargis is a nondenominational minister who has been described as a "hillbilly" type evangelist. In late 1957, he was investigated by the Bureau as a possible Registration Act violator following his contacts with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic. The Department ruled insufficient evidence that he was an agent of the Dominican Republic. Hargis has recently been disseminating material stating that he has proof that there is widespread communist infiltration in our churches. *RE*
(97-3475)

Enclosures (5)

God and Country or Communism?

What You Can Do to Fight Communism

March '60 LEB introduction & 17th National Convention CP, USA

Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality

Self-addressed, stamped envelope

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[REDACTED]
June 27, 60

J. Edgar Hoover
Head of F.B.I.

Dear Sir,

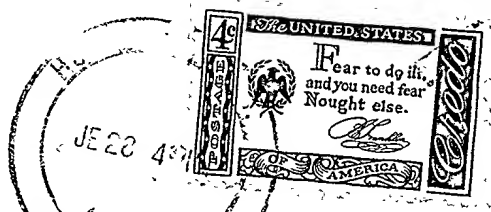
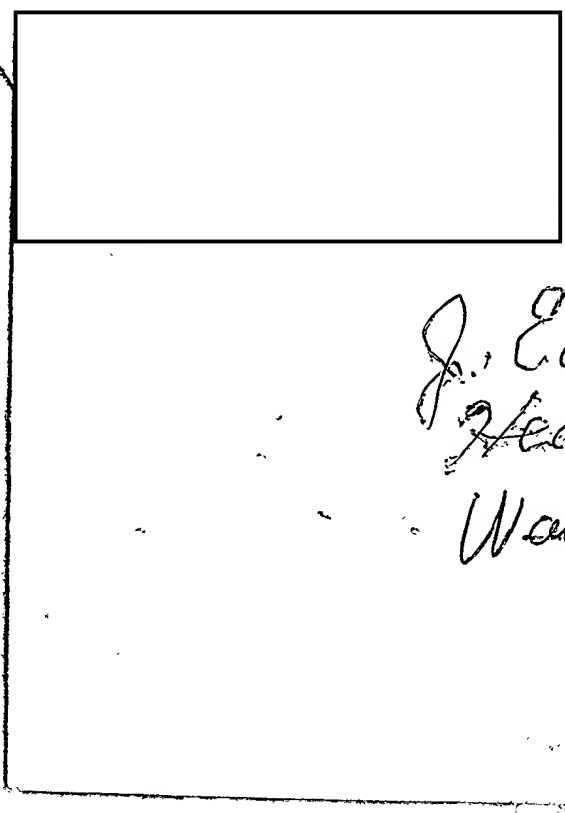
Enclosed are some
very disturbing statements.
Please say if these things
are true, and if they
are, can't our Government
take some steps to combat
such things?

Please send answer in
the enclosed stamped envelope.
Sincerely,

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*J. Edgar Hoover
Head of the F.B.I.
Washington 25, D.C.*

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TRUE COPY

[Redacted]

June 27, 60

J. Edgar Hoover
Head of FBI.

Dear Sir:--

Enclosed are some very disturbing
statements Please say if these things are true,
and if they are, can't our Government take
some steps to combat such things?

Please send answer in the enclosed
stamped envelope.

Sincerely

[Redacted]

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[Signature]

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THINK THIS OVER - IT'S MOST APPALLING!

DO YOU KNOW

That thirty-eight Soviet Russian and Red Chinese (English language) propaganda organs are shipped into the U. S. A. monthly?

DO YOU KNOW

That it is established one hundred million dollars annually have reached the coffers of the Communist forces within our country (so established by a Congressional Committee investigation of 43 bank accounts following Walter S. Steele's testimony several years ago); that one bank account in the name of a Communist, William Browder, showed \$1, 302, 177 on deposit; and that in three years over ten million dollars had passed through that one account?

DO YOU KNOW

That these funds for the greater part do not come from the pockets of the American working man, but from highly educated professionals, many well-to-do; and that the funds are used to agitate class and racial hatred?

DO YOU KNOW

That another millionaire, Charles Garland, poured millions of dollars into a number of Red fronts in our country?

DO YOU KNOW

That still another millionaire, Frederick Vanderbilt Field, supplied rent-free a building he purchased for the purpose, as well as funds for operations of seven important Communist fronts in New York?

DO YOU KNOW

That millionaire Wall Street broker, Alfred Stern, until his escape to Russia last year, poured tens of thousands of dollars into the Red tills in our country, including the setting up of a blind operation center through which Soviet espionage agents were afforded a secret "drop"?

DO YOU KNOW

That the son of a former Wall Street banker, Corliss Lamont, inheriting his wealth, has been and is the foremost leader of a pro-Soviet agency spread throughout our nation? (Lamont also created a million-dollar "Bill of Rights Fund" for the defense of Communists in legal difficulties with our government.)

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DO YOU KNOW

That Welwel Warzower, alias William Weiner, was the dummy owner of eight important commercial profit-making businesses in New England until his death five and a half years ago; that he was at the same time the national treasurer of the Communist Party in the United States; that he admitted financing a Canadian espionage agent in behalf of Russia; and that he also headed a multi-million dollar Communist front insurance movement in the U. S. A. which our government has since liquidated?

DO YOU KNOW

That a wealthy Christmas greeting card manufacturer, Philip J. Jaffe, who figured in the Amerasia Red spy ring, securing some 10,000 secret documents from our government departments, is reported to have donated thousands of dollars to the Communist cause in the United States?

DO YOU KNOW

That an Episcopalian Bishop, Montgomery Brown, subsequently unfrocked, willed \$356,000 to the Communist Party and its official organ, the "Daily Worker"?

DO YOU KNOW

That the money of Mrs. Emmons Blaine, heiress of the McCormick packing fortune who died a few years ago, went down the Red-front drain.

DO YOU KNOW

That Agnes Brown Leach, who inherited the fortune of Brown Brothers Investment Bankers, lavishly doled out her money to Red causes?

DO YOU KNOW

That Samuel J. Novick, reportedly now hiding in Mexico, former president of the Electronic Corporation of America, donated thousands of dollars to Red Causes, including the People's Radio Foundation, a Red-front, attempting to gain control of high frequency broadcasting stations in the U. S. A.

DO YOU KNOW

That Mrs. Francis Neilson, formerly Helen Swift Morris, who inherited fortunes from her father and first husband, meat packers, died penniless after squandering her money among Reds and so-called "liberals"?

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DO YOU KNOW

That a Fabian Socialist-styled movement, Americans for Democratic Action, active in the United States, with national headquarters in Washington, D. C., your Nation's Capital, raises by contributions from left-wing intellectuals tens of thousands of dollars annually which it spends in efforts to elect left-wingers to Congress under the major Party labels and to promote legislation of a socialistic nature; and that its leaders are looking forward eventually to the "Formation of a Labor Party in the United States"?

DO YOU KNOW

That American Communists and leftist intellectuals poured out of their bank accounts over \$500,000 to propagandize for the freedom of the Rosenbergs and Morton Sobel, atomic bomb spies in behalf of Russia?

DO YOU KNOW

That an organization agitating against deportation of alien Communists has raised one million two hundred fifty thousand dollars in the United States?

DO YOU KNOW

That the Civil Rights Congress (for the defense of indicted Communists) raised over one million dollars in one drive and \$300,000 in another?

DO YOU KNOW

That this movement, CHRISTIAN CRUSADE, dedicated to keeping you and other Americans informed regarding the planned Red take-over of the United States and confiscation of your wealth, is operating on less income than many of the numerous conspiratorial movements in our country; that the magazine and its various services have no wealthy underwriters of its losses from operations and are often confronted with desperate financial problems?

WHY NOT YOU

Help offset some of the aforementioned spending for destruction by matching your comparative means, your time and ability in defense of the American Way of Life? "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service." (Romans 12:1)

Billy James Hargis, Director
CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
P. O. Box 977
Tulsa, Oklahoma

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1 - Mr. Farrow

July 13, 1960

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Dear



Your letter dated July 1, 1960, with its enclosures, has been received, and the interest which prompted your communication is indeed appreciated.

In response to your inquiry, I must advise that the jurisdiction and responsibilities of the FBI do not extend to furnishing evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, publication or organization. The FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and, as such, does not issue clearances or nonclearances.

The FBI has issued, from time to time, various statements and items of literature concerning the growing menace of communism to this country. I am enclosing some of this material which may be of interest to you.

Your interest in my book, "Masters of Deceit," is indeed gratifying.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosures (7)

1 - Kansas City (enclosure)

SEE NOTE TO KANSAS CITY, PAGE TWO

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ATTENTION: SAC, KANSAS CITY

Enclosed is a copy of correspondent's communication. Bufiles contain no identifiable derogatory data concerning the correspondent. Correspondent enclosed a mimeographed pamphlet from Billy James Hargis, director of Christian Crusade, concerning funds available for use by the Communist Party, USA. He also enclosed a booklet entitled "Communism - A Disease" by Fred Schwarz, M.D. (97-3475)

Billy James Hargis is a nondenominational minister and has been described as a "hillbilly-type evangelist." In late 1957 he was the subject of a Registration Act investigation following his contacts with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and a visit to that country. The Department in April, 1958, however, advised that there was insufficient evidence to establish that he was an agent of the Dominican Republic. (97-3475) *[Handwritten initials]*

Bufiles contain no identifiable information of a derogatory nature concerning Dr. Frederick Charles Schwarz or his organization, the Christian Anti-Communism Crusade. Schwarz is reportedly a physician from Australia and during the past several years has toured the United States lecturing on communism. (94-50868)

The following items of literature were furnished to the correspondent:

1. "Communist Threat in U. S."
2. "Communism: The Bitter Enemy of Religion."
3. "How to Beat Communism."
4. "God and Country or Communism?"
5. "Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality."
6. Reprint from the "FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin," March, 1960, with Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, USA.
7. "The Communists Are After Our Minds."

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent expresses concern over the menace of communism. He asked if the Bureau has made any effort to publicize this situation. He asked if in the opinion of the Director Billy James Hargis and Dr. Fred Schwarz are "totally on the right track in fighting Communism." Correspondent thanks the Director for writing "Masters of Deceit" and states that it is an excellent book.

NOTE ON YELLOW, CONTINUED, ² PAGE THREE

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NOTE ON YELLOW, CONTINUED

It is believed that the enclosed literature will best answer the correspondent's question as to whether or not the Bureau has publicized the growing menace of communism.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Christian Crusade

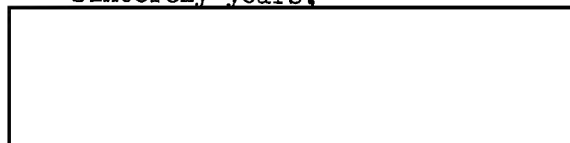
Let me thank you for writing "Master of Deceit". It is an excellent volume.

I have been receiving mail from Billy James Hargis for some months. He sent me the enclosed "Confidential" sheets the other day. These charges, if true, are alarming. Is your office making any effort to publicize such things? Very few people will hear of such unless there is some organized effort other than through a lone voice such as Hargis making such available.

I also get material from Christian Anti-Communism Crusade, P.O. Box 6422, Houston 6, Texas. Dr. Fred Schwarz, MD, is the chief spokesman.

In your analysis of these two men, are they totally on the right track in fighting Communism?

Sincerely yours,



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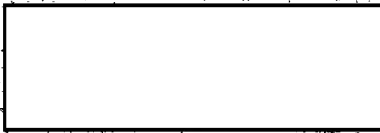
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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated July 9, 1960, has been received, and the interest which prompted your communication is indeed appreciated.

In response to your inquiries, I must advise that the jurisdiction and responsibilities of the FBI do not extend to furnishing evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, publication or organization. The FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and, as such, does not issue clearances or nonclearances.

I am sure you will understand the necessity for this policy and will not infer that we do or do not have in our files the information you desire.

The FBI has issued, from time to time, various statements and items of literature concerning the growing menace of communism to this country. I am enclosing some of this material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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ATTENTION: SAC, DENVER

Enclosed are two copies of correspondent's communication. Bufiles contain no identifiable data concerning the correspondent.

Bufiles reveal a letter of inquiry concerning the Freedom School but no background information or identifiable derogatory data concerning this School. The Denver Office is instructed to review its files for any information concerning the Freedom School which is reported to be located at Larkspur, Colorado, which will aid the Bureau in answering any future correspondence on this subject. You should promptly advise the Bureau of the results of this file review, making reference to this communication. (62-103629-X1)

Billy James Hargis is a nondenominational minister and has been described as a "hillbilly-type evangelist." In late 1957 he was the subject of a Registration Act investigation following his contacts with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and a visit to that country. The Department in April, 1958, however, advised that there was insufficient evidence to establish that he was an agent of the Dominican Republic. (97-3475) (4)

The following items of literature were furnished to the correspondent:

1. "Communism: The Bitter Enemy of Religion."
2. Reprint from "FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin," March, 1960, with Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, USA.
3. "Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality."
4. "God and Country or Communism?"

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent requests information concerning the Freedom School which she describes as a newly formed group located at Larkspur, Colorado. Correspondent also comments concerning subversive factions at work in this country as publicized by such organizations as the Christian Crusade which she states is authored by Reverend Billy Hargis. Correspondent asks if these fears are well grounded.

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We are hoping you can tell us how to discover what's the real motive behind a newly formed group here at Lakewood, Colorado. They call it Freedom School and they are appealing to youth to enroll.

Also, we wonder at the fears suggested by such radio programs and publications as The Christian

Crossroads, authored by Rev Billy Hargis. They speak with alarm of subversive factions at work. Are such fears well grounded? And are they referring to such so called educational organizations as the Freedom School?

I shall appreciate any information you can give, or any suggestion for obtaining such

information.

Very sincerely yours,

July 9, 1960

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The F.B.I.
Washington, D.C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: Aug. 4, 1960

FROM : SAC, Denver (62-1584)

SUBJECT: FREEDOM SCHOOL, INC.
P. O. Box 165
Colorado Springs, Colorado
INFORMATION CONCERNING

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE

ReBulet to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] July 19, 1960, with copy for
SAC, Denver.

As a matter of background, indices of the Denver Division reveal captioned organization, according to a brochure sent out in 1956, is located a few miles north of the Air Force Academy near Colorado Springs, Colorado. The brochure states, "This is a school for young men and women 16 years of age or older, adults are also accepted as students, where the entire effort is aimed at teaching the libertarian philosophy."

This is the philosophy expressed by such men as THOMAS JEFFERSON, ADAM SMITH, THOMAS PAINE, HERBERT SPENCER, ALBERT J. NOCK, and others, which contains the fundamental principles of human liberty written into the Constitution of the United States of America and establishing this nation as 'the land of the free.'"

The Board of Directors consists of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ROBERT LE FEVRE, [REDACTED]

and [REDACTED]

On September 18, 1956, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Mountain States Region, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, Denver, stated that in regard to the captioned organization, which he felt was fraudulently using the mails, ROBERT LE FEVRE, Acting President, was in an organization, "Congress of Freedom," a rightist, semi-

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respectable political movement of a third party nature which was infiltrated by bigoted element, including GERALD K. SMITH.

He added [redacted] who is listed in the Freedom School brochure as active therein, [redacted] b6
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National Economic Council, New York City, which is ostensibly fighting Socialism in Government, is anti-United Nations, is firmly a one-man group, and in a "veiled way, anti-Semitic."

According to available information, ROBERT LE FEVRE is editor of the Colorado Springs Gazette-Telegraph newspaper and can be characterized as violently, ultra conservative in his editorial policy.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two pamphlets entitled "The Freedom School," an enrollment blank and a business reply envelope. The pamphlets set forth information concerning the ideas and philosophy of the Freedom School, as well as photographs of individuals who formerly attended the school and those individuals who were instructors in 1958.

It is noted that one of the instructors for 1958 was listed as [redacted] Freedom Newspapers, Inc., Santa Ana, California. [redacted] b6
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of the Gazette-Telegraph at Colorado Springs.

There is no indication through information contained in the files of the Denver Division that captioned school is engaged in any type of subversive activity or any activity which is inimical to the best interests of the United States. No investigations have been instituted within the Denver Division in connection with any of the individuals connected with captioned school.

ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU FROM DENVER

2 pamphlets

Re: FREEDOM SCHOOL, INC.
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DN file 62-1584

Letter dated 8/4/60

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THE FREEDOM SCHOOL

Enrollment Blank
1959

O, Box 165
Colorado Springs, Colo.

☐ I wish to enroll in the basic course.

From _____ to _____ (first choice) From _____ to _____ (second choice)

☐ I wish to enroll in the special course in history. (See folder for eligibility requirements.)

☐ I wish to enroll in the special course in economics. (See folder for eligibility requirements.)

The basic two-weeks' course in the libertarian philosophy will be taught during the following periods in 1959:

June 1 - 13

June 15 - 27

July 13 - 25

July 27 - August 8

August 24 - September 5

September

The special course in history will be taught June 29 - July 11.

The special course in economics will be taught August 10 - 22.

☐ I am enclosing \$15.00 (check _____, money order _____) which will serve as my deposit. I understand that the entire cost of the course, including all lodging, meals and transportation (between Colorado Springs and the school) will be \$150.00, payable in advance.

☐ I would like to compete for one of the scholarships offered. Please send me examination papers. It is understood that if I am awarded the scholarship, my deposit will be refunded, and the scholarship will cover all expense of the course.

Scholarship examinations are given each year from December until the end of March. Applications for scholarship examinations will not be accepted after March 31, 1959. Scholarship awards will be announced during the month of April and such announcements will be sent to all contestants.

Name (Please Print) _____

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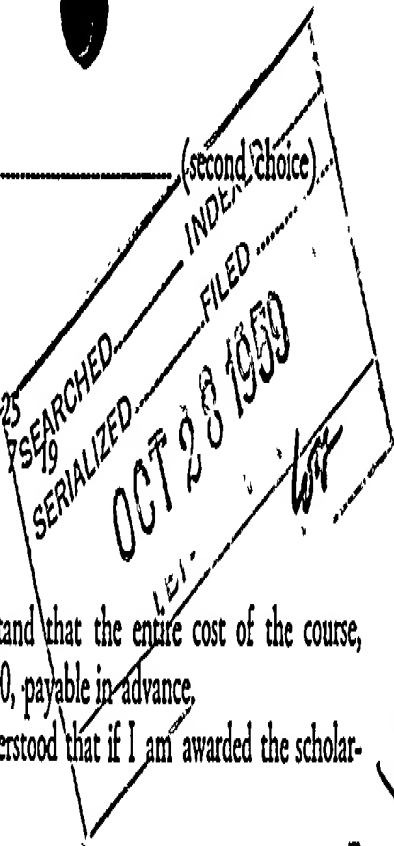
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Address _____ City _____ State _____

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Please send a recent snapshot or photograph with this application. The Freedom School reserves the right to reject any application without revealing cause to the applicant.



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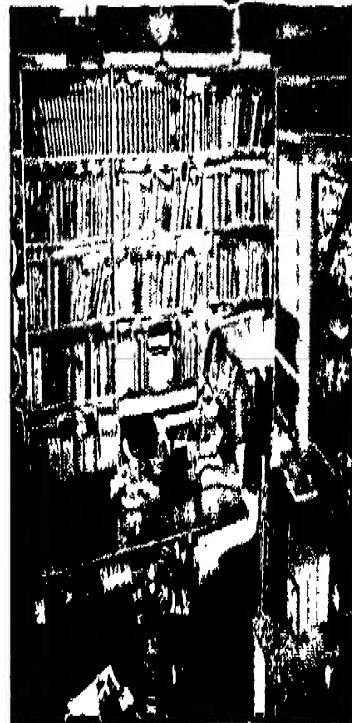
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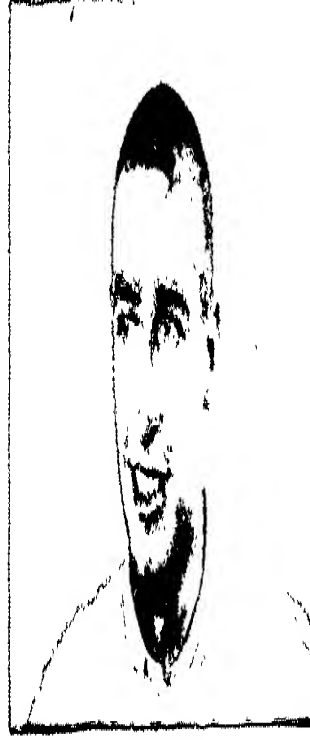
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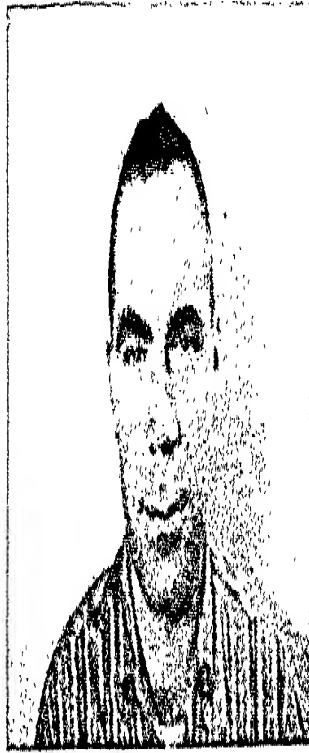
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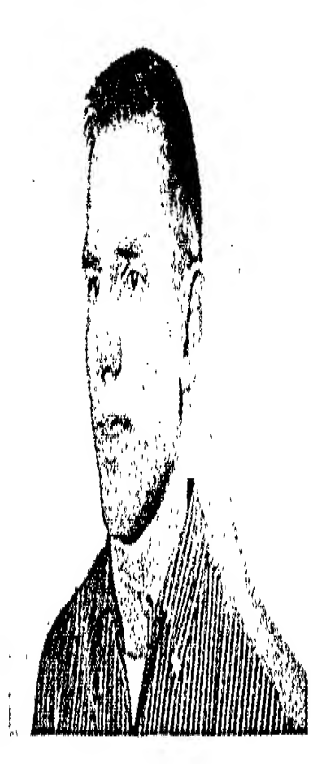
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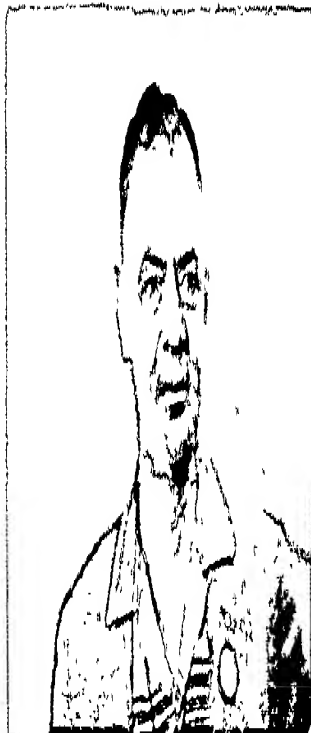


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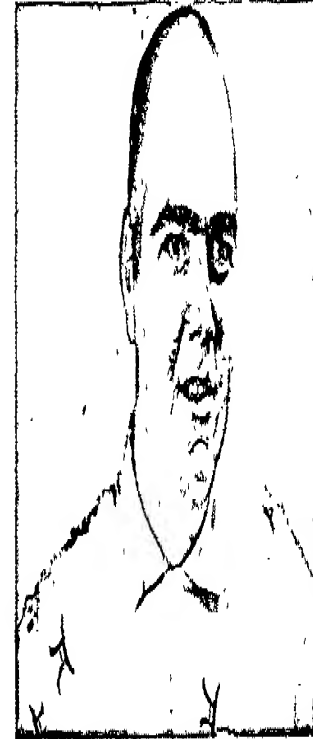
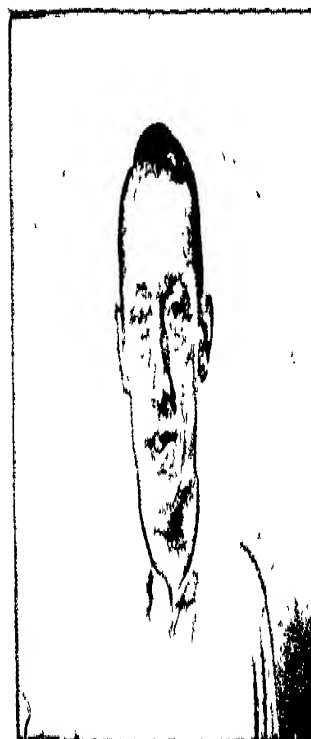
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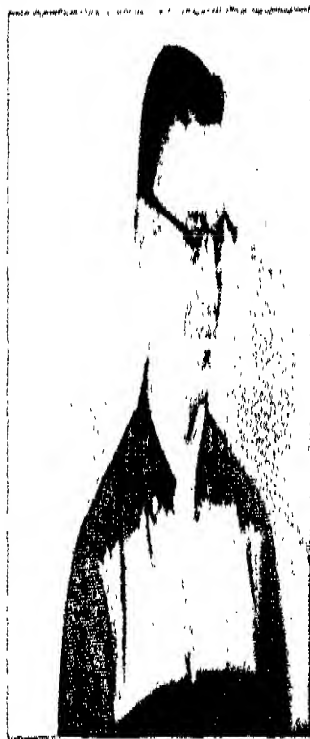
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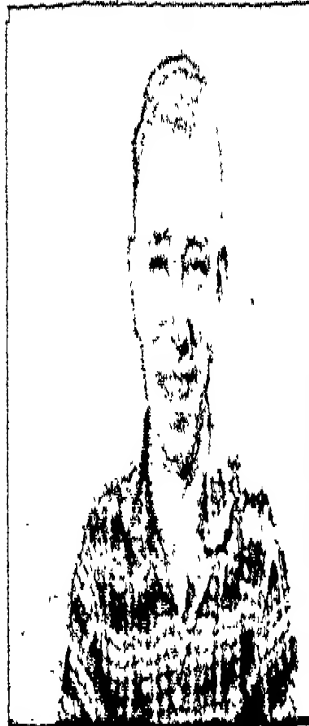


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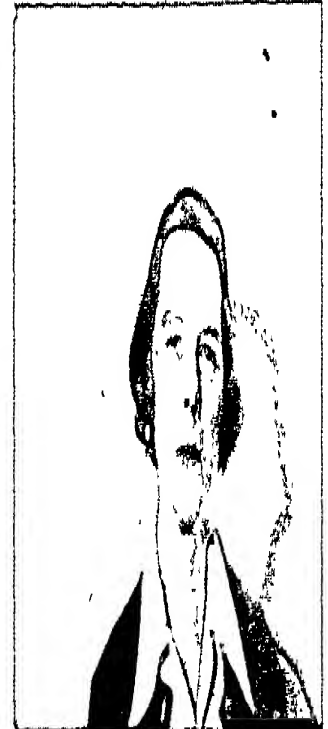
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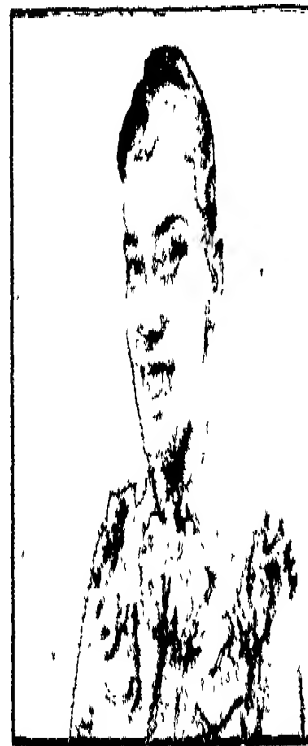
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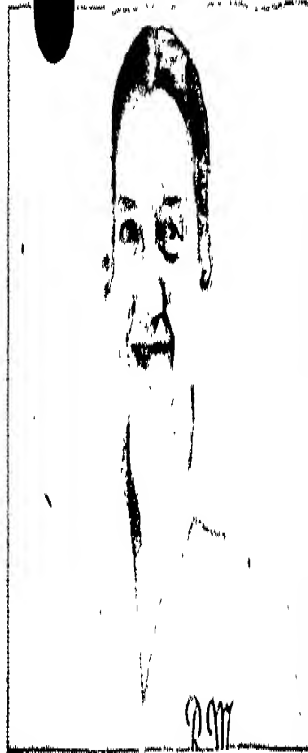


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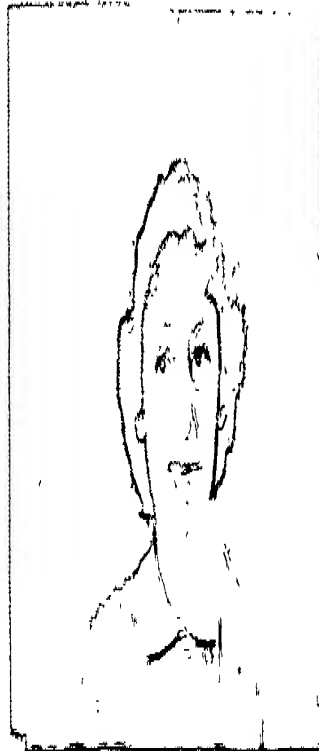
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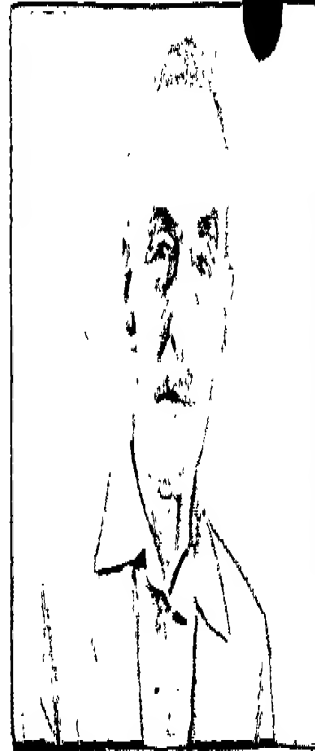
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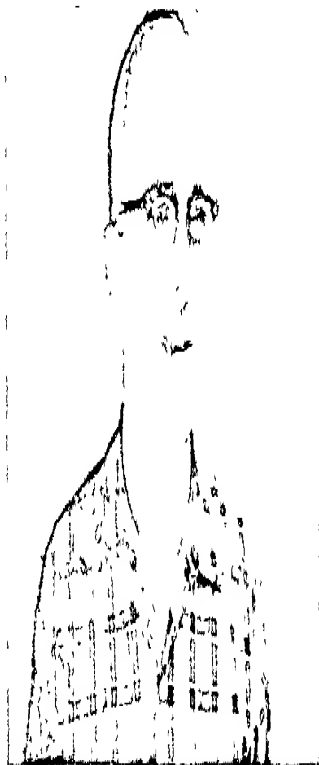


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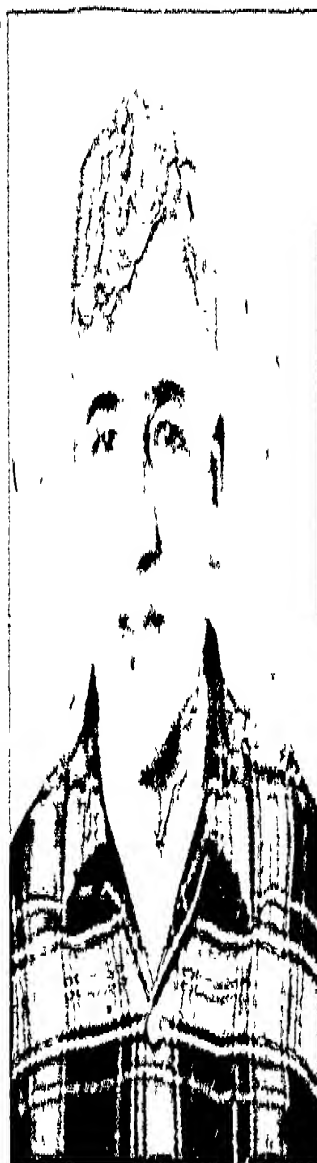


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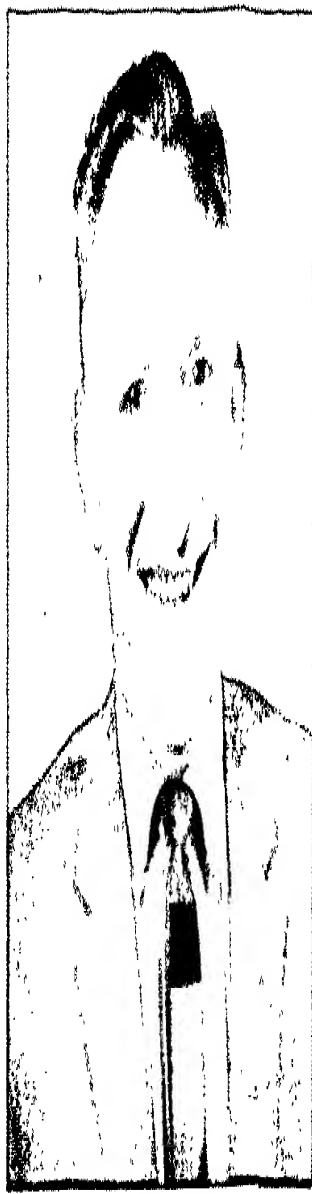


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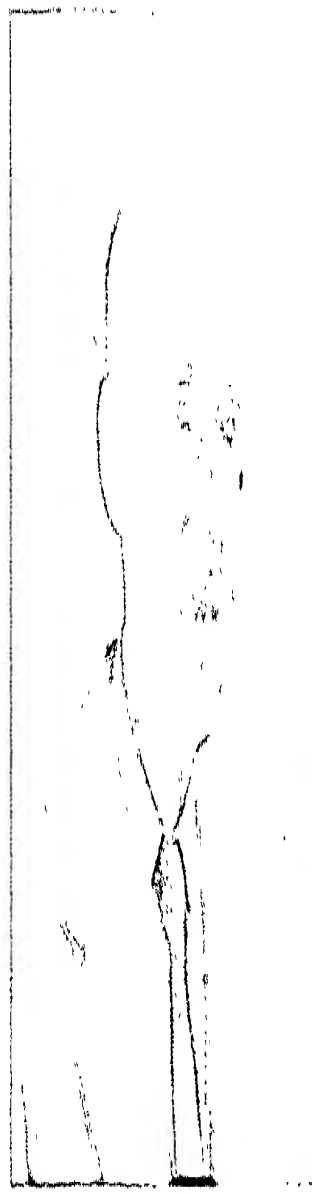
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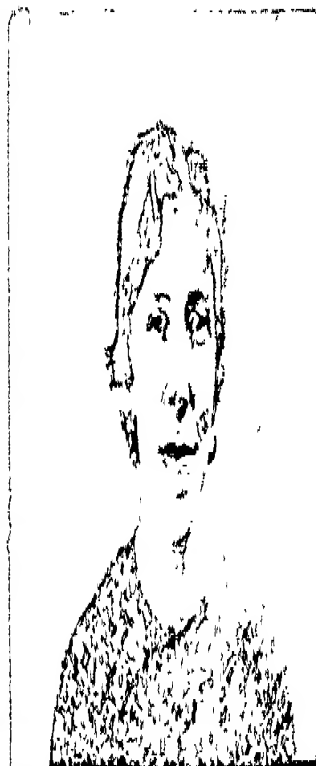
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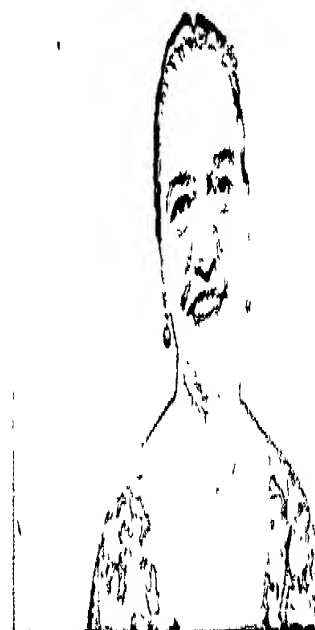
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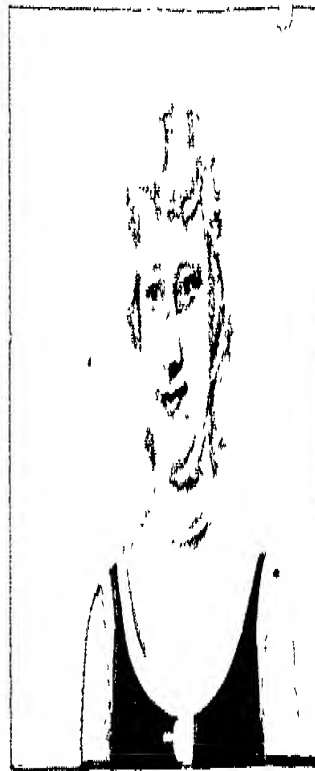
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Flashlights are handy to have.
It is suggested that expensive jewelry, etc., be left at home as there will be no occasion for its use.
The school cannot be responsible for valuables belonging to students.

Since the school is purposely situated to remove the student from ordinary distractions of modern American living, it is advisable to double-check your suitcase to be sure you have the essentials for your personal comfort for the two weeks at the school.

What About Recreation?

The 320-acre wooded site offers excellent hiking trails. Horses will be available for riding. A mountain lake is a short car-ride away (swimming fee is extra). Three hundred days of sunshine each year provide excellent lighting for camera fans.

Best of all will be the companionship of your fellow students as together you pursue the truth concerning man as a free being.

STATISTICS filler

THE FREEDOM SCHOOL can now house a total of 14 students at one time. This means that in a given school year of six basic courses, we can accommodate a total of 84 students.

In the first year of operation, the school enrolled 28 students and graduated 27. They came from 15 states, 18 men and 9 women. In the second year of operation, the school enrolled a total of 56 students and graduated 50. This is nearly a 100 percent increase. These students came from 17 states, and there were 28 men and 22 women.



What About Transportation?

Make your travel arrangements to come to Colorado Springs. It is serviced by leading airlines, bus and train companies.

You will be expected to be waiting at the Alamo Hotel in downtown Colorado Springs by 5 p.m. on the Sunday before your course begins. The school station wagon will pick you up from the lobby. You'll be returned to the lobby of the Alamo Hotel on the Saturday your course concludes.

If you plan to drive, inquire at the Alamo Hotel lobby in Colorado Springs for instructions on how to reach THE FREEDOM SCHOOL; or write for instructions in advance of your trip. Plan to arrive at the school before 6 p.m. on the Sunday preceding the opening date of your course.

On your drive to the school (about 25 miles) you'll glimpse the colorful rugged Colorado countryside, with Pikes Peak towering off to your left.

After registering, a delicious dinner with your fellow students will await you at the school, with your first night's sleep in the pine-scented foothills of the Rocky Mountains.

What About Sightseeing?

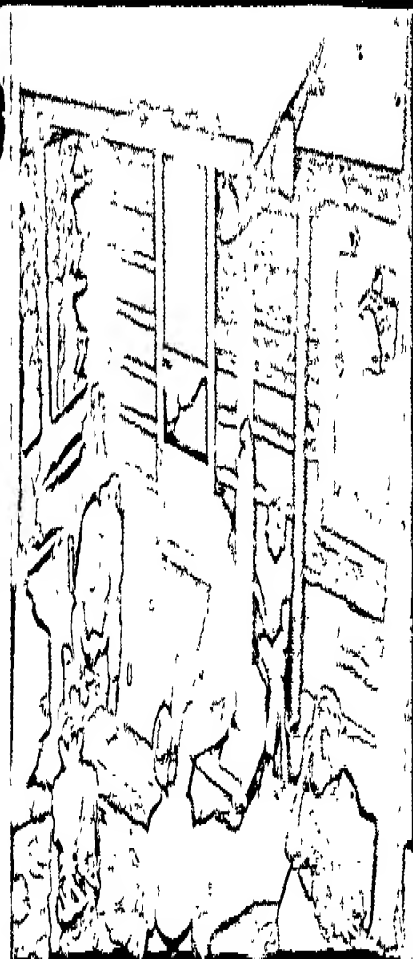
It is heartily recommended — but on your own time.

You may wish to come to Colorado a little earlier, or on your way home you might take in some of the magnificent scenic beauty of the "top of the nation" — for Colorado is the highest of the 48 states — and Colorado Springs is the hub of many unique attractions.

What Clothes Are Necessary?

There will be no formal functions requiring "dressing up." Comfortable, western clothes are preferable. Students who like horseback riding are encouraged to bring at least one pair of jeans. Sturdy shoes which give support to ankles are necessary if you are interested in either riding or hiking. Bring a bathing suit if you want to go swimming.

Resort wear will be in keeping for recreational activities. For class, sport shirts and cotton dresses will be suitable, with slacks and sweaters for cooler evenings. Clothing should be warm and serviceable. The elevation of the school is at 7,000 feet in the foothills of the Rockies. Days are warm but evenings are cool.





Can I Receive Accreditation for the Course?

No. The school is not interested in issuing credits or diplomas. It is concerned with teaching fundamentals of Americanism, free enterprise and human liberty based on sound spiritual and moral principles.

What Are the Accommodations?

THE FREEDOM SCHOOL is placed in a remote setting of woodland beauty. The buildings are finished in natural logs to provide an atmosphere of early American simplicity. Each cabin will accommodate a maximum of four students, with separate closet for each and ample bathing facilities. Well-lighted desks are provided for study, and porches are there for relaxation and companionship.

When not in use as a classroom, a log cabin with fireplace and a library of selected volumes is available to students.

Meals will be served informally, in the western tradition of hearty and wholesome food.

Are There Any Scholarships Available?

The following full tuition scholarships for the basic course will be awarded on a merit basis following a competitive examination:

The Spruille Braden Scholarship

The Arthur M. Hyde Scholarship

The Campaign for the 48 States Scholarship

Freedom School Alumni Scholarship

A number of separate Freedom School Scholarships

If you are interested in competing for these scholarships, make use of the enrollment blank in that connection.

The examination is identical in each case.

Scholarship examinations will be conducted from December 1, 1958 to March 31, 1959. No scholarship examinations will be given after March 31. Awards will be announced early in April.



Each of the persons whose name appears below has been in attendance in 1957 or 1958. A similar practice will be followed in 1959.

FRANK CHODOROV, *editor-author*,

Berkeley Heights, New Jersey

JAMES L. DOENGES, *surgeon*, Anderson, Ind.

E. W. (BILL) DYKES, *architect*, Canton, Ohio

PERCY L. GREAVES, Jr., *economist*,

New York, New York

FLOYD ARTHUR HARPER, Ph.D., *economist*,

Burlingame, California

R. C. HOILES, *president, Freedom Newspapers, Inc.*,

Santa Ana, California

MRS. ROSE WILDER LANE, *author*,

Danbury, Connecticut

LOUIS G. MILIONE, Jr., *director, American*

Economic Foundation, Philadelphia, Pa.

WILLIAM A. PATON, *professor of economics and*
'accounting, Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.

LEONARD E. READ, *president, Foundation for*

Economic Education, Irvington-on-Hudson,
New York

JAMES M. ROGERS, *assistant to the president*,

Ingersoll Milling Machine Co., Rockford, Ill.

What Do I Do if I Wish to Enroll?

Make use of the enclosed enrollment form. Be sure to select your first *and* second choice of date.

Await confirmation of your enrollment.

Enrollment agreements are made for the full two-week session. No reduction or refund is made where a student is withdrawn during the session, or is absent for part of the session, unless upon the certification of a physician.

The school reserves the right to ask the withdrawal of a student whose health, in the judgment of the school's medical adviser, is such as to endanger the student himself or the other students; or of a student who, in the judgment of the school administration, is not in sympathy with the standards, objectives and ideals of the school. A student who is asked to withdraw by the school will receive a pro-rata reduction in charges.

What Is the Cost of the Course?

Full price—including transportation from Colorado Springs to the school and return, all books, papers, testing, meals, lodging and recreation — comes to \$75.00 per week, or \$150.00 for the full course of instruction.





What Is the 1959 Schedule?

Six identical two-week courses in basic libertarian studies will be offered in 1959, in addition to two special courses, in economics and history, for advanced students.

Basic: June 1-12
June 15-26

History: June 29-July 10

Basic: July 13-24
July 27-Aug. 7

Economics: Aug. 10-21

Basic: Aug. 24-Sept. 4
Sept. 7-18

Discussion Leaders

THE FREEDOM SCHOOL in its two years of operation has brought to its students some of this country's outstanding libertarian thinkers. Sometime during each two-week course at least one well-known exponent of the freedom philosophy in one of its many phases, is brought to the school to lecture or to discuss issues with students.

What Materials Will the Instructors Use?

The basic instruction will come from three volumes which the school will furnish. These are: "Mainspring," by Henry Grady Weaver; "Liberty—A Path To Its Recovery," by F. A. Harper; and "The Law," by Frederic Bastiat.

The course will also feature the "How We Live in America" motion picture series produced by the American Economic Foundation. This series presents the economic facts of life in an easy-to-digest manner, particularly worthy in helping to dispel the Marxian theories.

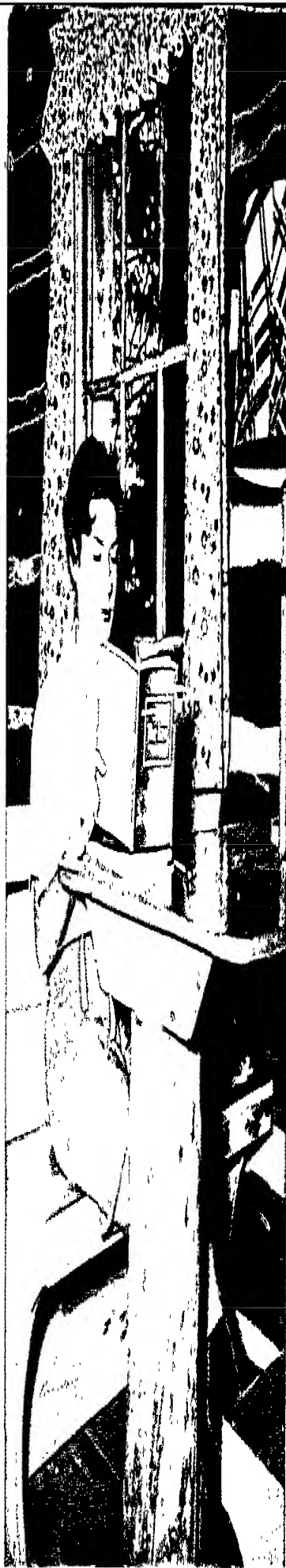
Material for the advanced courses will be under the direction of the instructor.

How Large Will Classes Be?

Classes will be kept small. It is the conviction of the directors of the school that it is better to give individual attention to students with a concentrated course of two weeks, than to make the classes large and cause students to remain for longer periods of time.

Efforts will be made to place each student in a group of similar age and inclination.





What Will the Basic Course Cover?

The student, under guidance, will analyze the meaning of freedom.

He will trace man's struggle for freedom thru history.

He will analyze the causes of war and depression.

He will study known types of government, with special emphasis on the motivation behind and the formation of the American constitutional republic.

He will probe the various economic systems, with special emphasis on the principles underlying the free market. In scanning the economic and political history of man he will find that the so-called "new" experiments in state-capitalism, socialism, communism, mixed-economy, etc., have been tried again and again in various forms over the centuries.

He will discover the unvarying results of these experiments.

He will learn to define pragmatism as it is used in various educational programs.

Without intrusion on the personal religious convictions of the student, the course will examine in the light of fixed principles, the moral aspects of free enterprise, social security, union membership, subsidies, progressive income taxes, foreign aid, etc.

How Long Is the Course?

The basic course is covered in a two-week period. Mornings are devoted to study, recreation and free time. Afternoons consist of lectures and discussions. Evenings will be utilized by discussions, moving pictures and examinations.

The advanced courses will cover a similar two-week period with hours of instruction arranged in accordance with the instructor's wishes.

Special Courses

In 1959, THE FREEDOM SCHOOL will continue its special two-week course in advanced economics. Additionally, a special two-week course in history will be presented.

Those wishing to attend either or both of these courses must have a certificate showing completion of the basic FREEDOM SCHOOL course, or must be approved for admission by the professor in charge of the advanced course.

Who Can Attend?

Anyone sixteen years of age or over is eligible to apply. Prior scholastic achievement is not necessary. The directors of the school are interested in you if you are interested in preserving America and the American concept of individual liberty and personal freedom. The directors reserve the right to approve enrollment applications at their own discretion.

The course of instruction is not for sissies. Life as it really is, can be a rugged affair. What this country needs is a few more rugged individuals who know the score. THE FREEDOM SCHOOL isn't interested in coddling. Frankly, it wants to find leaders and potential leaders. The school is looking for Americans who haven't forgotten how to think.

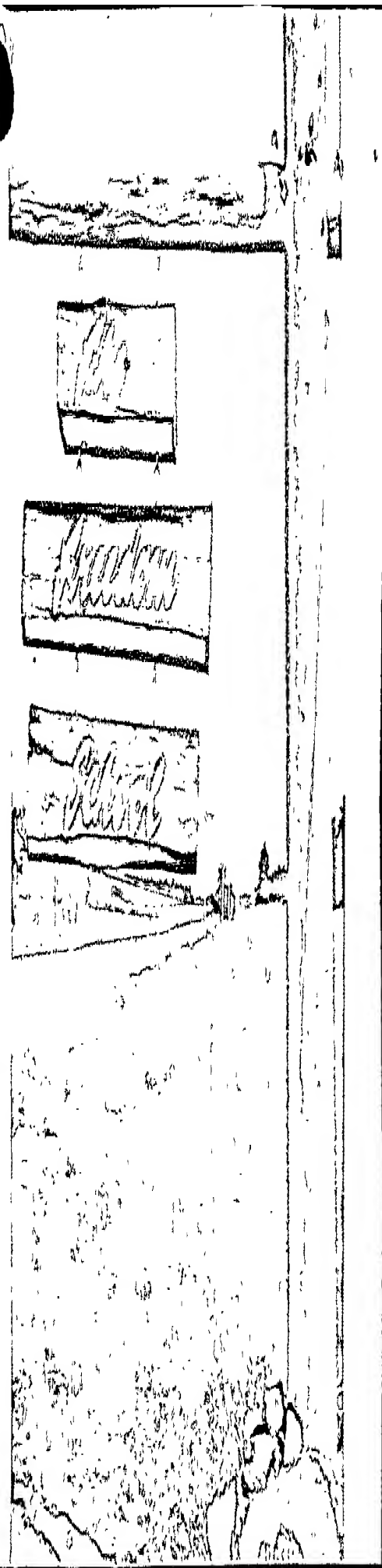
What Makes The Freedom School Unique ?

So far as is known, this is the only school in America which gives a full semester of work in a given subject in a two-week period under conditions which are comparable to a two-week vacation at a fine dude ranch.

So far as is known, this is the only educational institution which is specializing in the subject of liberty and freedom exclusively, and which teaches the subject at a scholastic level attainable by any sincere person willing to devote his time and attention to it.

How Is the School Supported?

To begin with, a number of persons contributed the necessary money and skills so that the school buildings and the housing units could be built. Aside from this original outlay of capital, the school is supported as any other business is supported. Those who attend pay a fee. The fee covers all operating costs of the school.



WHAT AND WHERE IS THE FREEDOM SCHOOL?

THE FREEDOM SCHOOL is a unique educational institution dedicated to the libertarian philosophy of individualism.

Its facilities have been provided by patriotic Americans "so that our heritage of individual liberty might endure and that the truth might be known concerning freedom and free enterprise."

It is a small school, attempting to fill a great need.

The campus is located in Colorado, approximately half way between Denver and Colorado Springs. The setting is in the foothills of the Rampart Range just four miles north of Palmer Lake.

WHAT IS THE "LIBERTARIAN PHILOSOPHY OF INDIVIDUALISM"?

It is the idea that man is a free being, deriving his rights from a divine source. It is the concept enunciated by the founders of this American republic. It explains and endorses free enterprise. It analyzes and exposes collectivism in its various guises, including communism and socialism.

As a philosophy it explores man's nature and the nature of the world in which he lives. It shows the superiority of human energy when it is free, over human energy enchained by regulations and regimentation. It provides the sincere student with logical convictions, arrived at of his own volition, by means of which he can discover — and explain, if need be — his own position with respect to current issues.



TO THE PROSPECTIVE STUDENT:

If one would make progress toward a chosen goal, direction is everything. If one has no goal, direction is meaningless.

At the moment there is more confusion than direction about American objectives. We are gripped by a series of monstrous illusions.

Among these are: So long as we can vote, we are free; the people are the government; liberty and license are the same; to fight communism all we need to know is what the communists now want and then to take an opposing stand; money provides a means of determining value; there are no moral absolutes.

Have you given any thought recently to the importance of keeping your own intellectual compass points burnished and the needle of your course fixed? A mutual exchange of ideas is always beneficial. The Socratic methods employed at FREEDOM SCHOOL are calculated to encourage such an exchange.

Sincerely,
ROBERT LEFEVRE
President
Freedom School

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The Freedom School

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Housing for the students is found in a lodge or in smaller log cabins tastefully appointed but maintaining an air of rustic simplicity.

There are saddle horses and numerous mountain trails the students are encouraged to use. There are picnic spots and numerous sport activities available, including archery, badminton, horseshoes, etc.

The basic course of the school is a comprehensive, 72-hour session of study, discussion, testing and reading. No accreditation is given. The founders of the school feel that truth and high moral standards require none. The school is in no way connected with any other educational institution, state or private.

A "Socratic Forum"

The course covers a two-week period, the amount of time usually allocated for a vacation.

The classrooms all have fireplaces, and the academic work is conducted in the nature of informal discussion groups in which the various aspects of freedom pertaining to economics, politics, history, science, literature, etc., are freely discussed and studies assigned.

An executive of one of the major oil companies on learning of the type of scholastic endeavor of The Freedom School said: "A Socratic forum in front of a roaring fire in the Colorado Rockies is mighty hard to beat."

That the Dream May Come True

All of the above, we hope to be able to say in the very near future. However, at the present time the school we have described is in its formative stages.

True, we have the site, some 320 acres which lie west of State Highway 105 in and near Stone Canyon. And some of the buildings have already been constructed. A great deal of work must be done, however, before we can open the school to our first group of students. We are planning our first class for the spring of 1957. To be ready, a mountain of work lies before us.

A main dining room must be constructed; several of the existing cabins modernized and furnished;

a barn must be built; corrals put in; and numerous other smaller but essential projects must be brought to completion, and students selected. All of this work is now under way.

Two Things To Do

There are two major requirements at the present time, and friends of the school are rallying to help solve those problems.

Since the school is entirely independent and not supported in any way by tax money, either directly or indirectly, it is essential that all funds needed to complete the construction and operate the school, come from private sources.

Students who register at the school will be charged \$75 a week. This money will pay for their room, board, books, recreation and instruction. It is actually less than the amount charged by many fine guest ranches in the same area. Students attending the school will receive the same kind of recreational opportunities they would have at a guest ranch, plus receiving a course in the libertarian philosophy which is available nowhere else in the United States—all for less money than it would cost them to spend a comparable amount of time on a vacation.

Self-Supporting

The school has been organized on such a basis that the income from students will pay for the entire operation of the school. However, it will not pay for the original capital outlay which must be made in order to complete the construction of the necessary buildings.

To secure the money for this we are contacting a limited number of the best known and most outstanding patriotic Americans and asking them to help in any way that they can financially. That is why we have written to you. All contributions are, of course, tax exempt.

We Want Outstanding Students

The second way in which assistance can be given to the school is for you to take a personal interest

THE FREEDOM SCHOOL, Inc.

in the curriculum and acquaint the National Board of Fellows with outstanding young men or women who in your opinion would be benefited by a course such as is offered by this school.

Some money is being made available in the form of scholarships for deserving students. Remember, the complete 72-hour course is presented in a two-week period for which the entire cost is \$150.00!

A condensation of the course has already been tested with seven different groups of students in Los Angeles, California; Miami, Florida; and Colorado Springs, Colorado. Students who have taken the preliminary course say:

"It has been time very well spent. I would recommend it to anyone."

"It is effective. We need something like this more often."

"I enjoyed the meetings. I feel that I can now talk and think about the subject of liberty better and would like to go into it further."

"It has been a privilege to have been a member of your first Freedom School class. My understanding of this, our precious heritage of freedom, has been increased until it has become a part of me."

The enclosed coupons are for your convenience in responding.

A few miles north of the site for the new Air Academy, approximately half way between Colorado Springs and Denver and snuggled into the foothills of the Rampart Range in Colorado, is one of the most unique educational institutions ever established.

This is a school for young men and women 16 years of age or older—adults are also accepted as students—where the entire effort is aimed at teaching the libertarian philosophy.

Philosophy of Freedom

This is the philosophy expressed by such men as Thomas Jefferson, Adam Smith, Thomas Paine, Herbert Spencer, Albert Jay Nock, and others, which contains the fundamental principles of human liberty written into the Constitution of the United States of America and establishing this nation as "the land of the free."

It is the libertarian philosophy which gave the early pioneers the spirit and the perseverance by means of which they conquered a wilderness. It is the philosophy of self-control and self-government, embodying belief in free enterprise and the rights and duties of individuals as they make their own way in the world.

Everything else about the school is unusual, too. First of all, it is highly selective. Classes are limited to fifteen students at a time.

Vacation While Learning

Next, the school is conducted far more like a vacation spot than like an actual academic institution. The site of the school lies at approximately 7,000 feet, in a valley filled with virgin pine and aspen thru which a fresh mountain stream tumbles on its way to the plains below.

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THE FREEDOM SCHOOL



P. O. Box 165

Colorado Springs, Colorado

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, SAN DIEGO (100-12378)

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
Information Concerning

DATE: 2/8/61

The following information, pertaining to recent meeting of the Christian Crusade held at San Diego, is submitted for the information of the Bureau.

The San Diego Union, a daily newspaper, 1/28/61, reflected a three-day Christian Americanism rally would be held in the House of Hospitality, Balboa Park, San Diego, 2/3, 4, 5/61. Scheduled speakers were MATT CVETIC, former Department of Justice employee and FBI undercover agent in the Communist Party; and BILLY JAMES HARGIS, evangelist from Tulsa, Oklahoma, who broadcasts anti-Communist messages by radio and television in the United States and abroad, and emphasizes exposure of Communist subversion of religion, education, government, medicine, agriculture and diplomacy.

The San Diego Evening Tribune, a daily newspaper, 2/6/61, reflected HARGIS spoke as scheduled above. He was described as head of the Christian Crusade and leader of the largest anti-Communist organization in America. In his speech, he was critical of the United States for belonging to the United Nations, discontinuing U2 flights over Russia, holding summit conferences with Russia, and giving foreign aid to communist countries.

The San Diego Evening Tribune, 2/6/61, in another article, reported that Captain STANLEY F. NIZENSKI, USA, retired, Ramona, California, and his companion, [redacted] were beaten in Balboa Park on the night of 2/4/61 by persons leaving a Christian Crusade rally who believed that NIZENSKI was a communist. NIZENSKI is head of an anti-Communist group known as the American Social Liberation Front and was distributing announcements of a meeting which he was to hold on 2/17/61.

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San Diego files reflect that NIZENSKI publishes and distributes anti-communist literature and speaks against communism. San Diego files contain no additional information identifiable with either HARGIS or [redacted] above.

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telephonically contacted the San Diego Office on 2/4/61 and stated that he intends to write a short note to the Director regarding a meeting he attended at the House of Hospitality in Balboa Park, San Diego, California on the evening of 2/3/61, which billed itself as "Christians Against Communists". [redacted] stated that this was one of the series of anti-communist lectures which have been taking place in San Diego and that the particular lecture that he attended was given by BILLY JAMES HARGIS. He stated that HARGIS was strictly anti-communistic in his remarks but that he was so emotional about the Communist menace that he felt he would never achieve his ends because of his approach to the problem. He stated that he has certain suggestions on how this country should meet this problem and intends to set forth these ideas in a letter to the Director, FBI. [redacted] was encouraged to furnish any information directly to the San Diego Office but he was insistent upon writing the Bureau.

Indices San Diego Office contain no information identifiable with [redacted] above.

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September 29, 1961

Dr. Billy James Hargis
Post Office Box 977
Tulsa 2, Oklahoma

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Dear Dr. Hargis:

Your letter of September 22, 1961,
was received in Mr. Hoover's absence from the
city. You may be certain your communication
will be brought to his attention upon his return.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

NOTE: Dr. Billy James Hargis is a non-denominational minister who has been described as a "hill-billy" type evangelist. He is the founder-President of the Christian Crusade which is allegedly anticommunist. In 1957 he was subject of a Registration Act investigation by the Bureau in that he had contacted the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and had made a visit to that country. In 1958 the Department advised that insufficient evidence was presented to indicate that he served as an Agent of the Dominican Republic. (97-3475) Title per Bufiles.

There are indications that some of the statements he has made may not be supported by fact. He has been critical of the National Council of Churches and believes that though President Kennedy or former President Eisenhower are not communist, he does feel that they are very naive. In view of the above information, it is deemed advisable to send the above type reply.

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THE INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY of BILLY JAMES HARGIS

POST OFFICE BOX 977

TULSA 2, OKLAHOMA

September 22, 1961

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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On a recent Christian Crusade network broadcast, a guest speaker, Mr. Everingham, Executive Secretary of We, The People, 111 North Wabash, Chicago 2, Illinois, made a statement to the effect that under the new Kennedy administration, the FBI was concentrating its attention on criminal investigations and had been called off investigations into communism and subversion.

This statement concerned me and a group of our local Christian Crusaders sufficiently that Dr. Magrill, a dentist of Miami, Florida, wrote to you on September 8, 1961, to either have this report confirmed or denied.

On our network broadcast, October 9, we are reading your letter to Dr. Magrill, to correct this misunderstanding. This is the letter we will read on that date:

"Your letter of September 8, 1961, has been received and the interest which promoted you to write is appreciated.

"In response to your inquiry, there is no truth whatsoever in the statement you quoted in your communication. By Presidential Directive of September 6, 1939, the FBI was designed as the civilian intelligence agency responsible for protecting the nation's internal security. I assure you that this bureau is continuing to handle its responsibilities in this field with the same dispatch and thoroughness as has characterized our investigations in the past.

Signed, J. Edgar Hoover

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At the convention of We, The People, Mr. Everingham's organization which was held in Chicago this past week-end, Mr. Everingham corrected the erroneous statement to the convention delegates. He told the delegates that he based his statement upon a printed report by Human Events publications of Washington. Mr. Everingham further stated that he had written Human Events, and they said they had this information from reliable sources.

However, it was difficult for me to believe this, and I am grateful I have the opportunity to correct this statement on my broadcast.

From time to time, we invite guest speakers to appear on our program - Congressmen, Governors, Senators, outstanding patriotic leaders. We make no attempts to muzzle their opinions. However, when an erroneous statement, such as this one, is made, we make every effort to correct it.

As I have written you before, both Christian Crusade and I are eternally grateful for your great work as head of the FBI. It is our opinion that the communists and subversive elements of this country are doing everything they can to discredit you and force your removal from your important position. You may rest assured that you will have our support in the future, as we have supported you in the past. At our annual Christian Crusade convention held August 4-6 this year in Tulsa which was attended by thousands of delegates from over 42 states and Canada, a resolution was passed commending you for your leadership. Further, it was decided that it was our opinion that you and General Douglas MacArthur are the two most dedicated American citizens in our nation. This loyalty to you and this respect for you, is from the depths of our hearts, and I am,

Yours for God and our children,

Billy James Hargis
Billy James Hargis (st)

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Dr. Clyde E. Brown
1417 West 85th Street
Seattle 7, Washington

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Dear Dr. Brown:

Your letter of October 3, 1961, has been received. I want to express my thanks for your interest in my book, "Masters of Deceit," and for your generous comments relative to my efforts as Director of the FBI.

In response to your inquiry, the FBI being an investigative agency of the Federal Government neither makes evaluations nor draws conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. In view of this, it would be against my policy to comment on the organization you mentioned in your letter. However, if you could furnish me with statements made by Dr. Hargis which he attributes to me, I would be able to advise you whether or not they were quoted correctly.

I am enclosing some material you may like to read.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Billy James Hargis is founder-president of Christian Crusade. He is a nondenominational minister and has been described as a "hillbilly-type evangelist." In late 1957 he was the subject of a Registration Act investigation following his contacts with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and a visit to that country. The Department in April, 1958, advised that there was insufficient evidence to establish that he was an agent of the Dominican Republic. (S)

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October 3, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I sincerely congratulate you on your recent book, "Masters of Deceit", and of the untiring efforts which you have contributed for educating the American public to the dangers of communists infiltration here in the United States.

I have recently been interested in the program of Christian Crusade, headed by Rev. Billy James Hargis, and have made some contributions to help them along. They seem to be doing an energetic and earnest work. However, I am concerned to know two things regarding this particular group.

(1) First, Dr. Hargis at times refers to you and quotes you, and I would like to know if according to your knowledge, is he quoting you correctly?

(2) Second, since this group makes frequent requests for funds for continuing to work, do you feel that this particular organization is effective and is it a legitimate, non-profit organization?

I would appreciate any comments you would care to make. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Dr. Clyde E. Brown

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Arkansan Among Anti-Red Speakers

Brig. Gen. William P. Campbell, U.S. Army retired, Vice President of the National Education Program, Searcy, Ark., will be one of the featured speakers at the Christian Crusade National Anti-Communist Leadership School to be held at the Mayo Hotel Jan. 29-Feb. 2. Billy James Hargis is founder-director of the Tulsa anti-Communist organization.

Previously announced speakers include Gen. Edwin A. Walker, center of controversy over indoctrinating American troops in Germany against Communism and who resigned from the United States Army after being rebuked; Eddie Rickenbacker, famed World War I flying ace and chairman of the board of Eastern Air Lines; Sen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, member of the Armed Services Committee; Rep. Gordon Scherer of Ohio, a member of the House Committee on Un-American Activities; and Benjamin Gitlow, former head of the Communist party in America.

The school will be held at the



GEN. WILLIAM P. CAMPBELL

Mayo and will consist of three sessions each day. On Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, the sessions will be public "Survival, U.S.A." rallies which will be held at Municipal Theater. Sen. Thurmond and Gen. Walker will be featured speakers at these rallies. Registration for the entire five-day school will be \$100, according to Hargis.

Campbell produced the film, "Communism on the May." At the time of his retirement he was assistant chief of finance for the Army. From 1954 to 1959 he was executive assistant to the president of Harding College in Searcy.

During a long career of military service he served as a member of the General Staff Corps, U.S. Army, chief of the Army Audit Agency, as adviser for administration to the Peruvian Army, Budget and Fiscal Officer, U.S. Air Forces in Europe, London and Paris, and various other assignments dating back to 1918.

He received George Washington Honor Medals from the Freedoms Foundation, Valley Forge, Pa., "for outstanding achievement in bringing about a better understanding of the American Way of Life."

Campbell received a B.S.A. degree from the University of Arkansas.

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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: SAC OKLAHOMA CITY 100-4921 -P- ⁶⁵⁴⁶

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE,
National Anti-Communist Leadership School,
 1/29 - 2/2/62, Tulsa, Oklahoma
 INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau is one copy of an article which appeared in the 12/17/61 issue of The Tulsa Daily World, a daily newspaper published at Tulsa, Oklahoma. This article concerns the Christian Crusade National Anti-Communist Leadership School scheduled to be held in Tulsa, Oklahoma, 1/29 to 2/2/62 at the Mayo Hotel. The article states that BILLY JAMES HARGIS is founder/director of the Tulsa anti-Communist organization. The article also states that speakers at the school will include General EDWIN A. WALKER, center of controversy over indoctrinating American troops in Germany against Communism and who resigned from the United States Army after being rebuked; EDDIE RICKENBACKER, famed World War I flying ace and Chairman of the Board of Eastern Air Lines; Senator STROM THURMOND of South Carolina, member of the Armed Services Committee; Representative GORDON SCHERER of Ohio, a member of the House Committee on Un-American Activities; and BENJAMIN GITLOW, former head of the Communist Party in America.

On 12/18/61

Tulsa, Oklahoma, advised SA JOE M. PEARSON that he was aware of the fact that Tulsa Evangelist BILLY JAMES HARGIS is associated with the proposed Christian Crusade National Anti-Communist Leadership School which is scheduled to be held in Tulsa during the latter part of January 1962, however up until 12/16/61 no request had been made by this group to the Tulsa Police Department for assistance in connection with parking or other matters

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which might be associated with a meeting of this type. [redacted] stated it was his understanding registration for the five-day school will cost \$100.00. He said that when such a meeting is held in the city, the group usually contacts the Mayor or the Board of Commissioners and makes the meeting known to these parties. He said that as far as he knew, no contact had been made to date with the Mayor or the Board of Commissioners.

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For the further information of the Bureau, The 12/8/61 issue of Time Magazine contained an article on page 23 entitled "We, The People", which is one of several articles appearing on pages 22 and 23 under the caption "Organizations." This article states as follows: "We, The People!, an organization that claims membership in 1700 communities in all 50 states, is run out of a plain, three-room Chicago office by Harry Everyingham, 53, a former radio writer and adman who formed the organization seven years ago. Everyingham believes that the Communist takeover in the U.S. is well along and that 'there are many who are working with the Communists to accomplish this.' The titular president of his organization is Tulsa Evangelist Billy Hargis, 36, whose material formed the base for an Air Force manual attacking the Protestant clergy last year. Hargis is convinced that Christianity is a fine place for Communist infiltration because 'the Christian idea of brotherhood means to a lot of people turning the other cheek.'"

For the additional information of the Bureau, BILLY JAMES HARGIS, President and Founder of Christian Crusade, Tulsa, Oklahoma, was interviewed by Bureau Agents on 7/14/60 in connection with the case entitled [redacted]

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[redacted] Attempted Bombing of Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Arkansas, 7/12/60, BOMBING MATTERS," as set forth in report of SA DAVID W. BRANTLEY dated 8/16/60 at Oklahoma City, in which the Little Rock Division was the office of origin. At that time HARGIS was interviewed as being a possible suspect in connection with that case and a signed statement was taken from him.

The Bureau will be advised of any pertinent developments in this matter.

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Retired Army Man to Speak On 'Survival'

Maj. Gen. Charles A. Willoughby, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's former chief of intelligence, will speak at a "Survival U.S.A." rally at Tulsa's Municipal Theater in conjunction with an anti-Communist school here Jan. 29-Feb. 2.

Willoughby, Washington representative for Christian Crusade, sponsor of the anti-Red school, also will lecture at the school.

He is co-editor of the Christian Crusade's publication, "The Weekly Crusader." He also writes a syndicated newspaper column. Willoughby, who retired in 1951, has remained active as a lecturer and author.

A prolific writer, Willoughby's books include MacArthur, 1941-51, and Shanghai Conspiracy - The Sorge Spy Ring.

His military career began in 1910 when he enlisted in the regular army. He served with the Fifth U.S. Infantry until 1913. In that year he enrolled at Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, Pa. Upon graduation, Willoughby was commissioned a major in the Officers Volunteer Corps, and was commissioned in the regular army in 1916.

Also during his long career, Willoughby served with the AEF in France and became a military attache in South America after World War I.

Willoughby figured in the defense of the Philippines and remained with MacArthur from Bataan and Corregidor and on to Australia. He retired shortly after start of the Korean war.

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FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (100-0)

SUBJECT: FIRST ANNUAL
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There are enclosed for the Bureau for information two copies of a four page statement dictated by M. G. LOWMAN, Executive Secretary, Circuit Riders, Inc., 110 Government Place, Cincinnati, Ohio, concerning subject event. There is also enclosed for the Bureau one copy of the program for the event also furnished by LOWMAN.

In connection with the statement, LOWMAN telephonically contacted SA THOMAS P. SCOLLARD on 2/6/62, and said he wanted to advise the FBI concerning what he believed would be an attempt by "left wing or liberal type" publications to smear the event. Rather than risk interpolation, LOWMAN was requested to dictate a statement concerning the event containing his meaning. Dictating equipment was taken to his office where he dictated the statement which was returned to the Cincinnati office for typing.

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The following information was dictated on February 6, 1962, by M. G. LOWMAN, Executive Secretary of Circuit Riders, Inc., 110 Government Place, Cincinnati, Ohio:

On January 29 to February 2, 1962, inclusive, ~~Billy James Hargis~~ ^{BILLY HARGIS} conducted in the Mayo Hotel, Tulsa, Oklahoma, his First Annual National Anti-Communist Leadership School. Billy James Hargis is a evangelistic type anti-communist radio preacher who does an effective job of alerting the American people over more than 200 radio stations and in various magazines and publications and pamphlets regarding the threat of the communist conspiracy in the United States. The speakers at the seminar or training school included

[redacted] General William P. Campbell, Searcy, Arkansas; Matt Cvetic was scheduled but because of reported illness did not come to Tulsa, Oklahoma, Congressman Rousellot of California was substituted for Matt Cvetic. Other speakers included Benjamin Sitlow, Mrs. Barbara Hartle, Edward Hunter, J. Bracken Lee, M. G. Lowman, [redacted] R. Carter Pittman, Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, Congressman Gordon Scherer, General C. A. Willoughby, and Billy James Hargis.

The following five speakers were negotiated for or arranged for by M. G. Lowman. They were: [redacted]

[redacted] Mr. Benjamin Gitlow, Mrs. Barbara Hartle, Mr. Edward Hunter and Congressman Scherer. These persons were recommended and procured by me for Dr. Hargis because I thought they could add specific information regarding the communist conspiracy in the United States.

The press coverage included National Broadcasting Company with two major units for video tape and it appeared that every session and every speech was covered from beginning to end by video tape through the facilities of National Broadcasting Company. It would be estimated that at least 15,000 feet of video tape were consumed an average of seven hours per day of speaking for a total of five days. The Nation magazine was represented by a correspondent whose name I took to be [redacted] and who was reportedly a person retired in education or press work somewhere within a few hundred miles of Tulsa. The Saturday Evening Post covered every section with a photographer and a reporter. The New York Times was represented as covering every speech.

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Billy Hargis Christian Crusade tape recorded every speech as did some eight or nine persons from Patriotic Leadership Groups from some 25 states represented at the training school. It appears that some of the persons covering this speech are determined to interview so-called pigeons or innocents or newcomers and persistently avoided interviews with such persons as Benjamin Gitlow, M. G. Lowman and others who could give specific information regarding the conspiracy. There seemed to be an attempt to interview and draw out in interview the lesser informed persons since the attitude created in the minds of Gitlow, Lowman, Barbara Hartle and others was that a left wing or liberal type smear attack would be added to the current anti-conservative position now so widely predominating many areas of the American Communication System such as press, radio and television.

On arriving after the session had been in operation for a day and learning that Carter Pittman had made a series of unfortunate remarks for a period of some 20 minutes out of an hour and a half speech regarding sociology and race troubles in the south. I departed from my normal program of praising the Congressional Committees and the Federal Bureau of Investigation and its Director J. Edgar Hoover because I did not want to say or do anything that would be embarrassing to the investigating committees or the investigating process of our federal government. There appeared to be some total of 180 to possibly 200 persons register or appear in the training class audiences during some part or all of the five day period. It was not observed that prior to the meeting Hargis had tried to have more than 200 persons in attendance. Several of the pupils or those persons who had paid \$100 for the week's training and their own transportation expense and the hotel expense seemed to be newcomers from a widely diversified cross section of American life and from different geographical areas. Many of the persons in attendance seemed to be well informed on communist and pro-communist activities. The group had learned of the meetings or training school through radio and television announcements by Billy James Hargis and by public announcements in his pamphlets, booklets and mailings which go to a very large number of persons in the United States.

The nature of the talent and the amount of money spent to bring the talent plus the number of Billy James Hargis persons who devoted many weeks of their full time to preparing for this training class or school and the facilities and information in printed form indicate that this was not a money making scheme as much as it was an objective effort to indoctrinate and prepare leadership persons for constructive anti-communist work.

When I arrived on Tuesday I found Hargis quite distressed because Carter Pittman had, without the prior knowledge or consent of Hargis, swung into a hard hitting anti-integration feature in Carter Pittman's speech. Hargis conferred with Benjamin Gitlow and M. G. Lowman to determine what Hargis should do the next time he was on the platform appearing before the pupils or persons there for the week of speeches. Hargis felt impelled to have the people attending the school and those making records of what took place in the school know that much of what Pittman said was not approved by in fact it was disapproved by Hargis. Hargis, on the following morning, which was the first time he appeared before the audience, did disavow any connection with much that had been said in the Pittman speech. I don't think any person in the room had the slightest doubt that Hargis was separating Christian's Crusade and Billy James Hargis from the sociological remarks involving the negro problem from any approval by Hargis or Christian Crusade.

The reactions on the part of experienced speakers in discussing speeches with each other during the week and the reactions of the pupils or those who were registered attendants to the speeches was generally good. It appears the information was largely the kind of thing anti-communist groups need to hear and should hear. There were a few items of personal interest or emphasis that should not have been used in such a group as this but fourteen speakers or more are bound to include one or two features not acceptable to everybody. The pupils or students or in other words the persons who spent \$100 tuition to hear the five days and nights of speeches showed an interest in practically every speech that kept them glued on the speaker so much that they did not shift or move

in their chairs putting weight on one side of the body more than on the other. They just stayed glued. There's no question that the persons who wanted to know about who did what to America and what should be done to help save America felt and said and showed that they had benefited very much by attending these speeches and getting the printed matter that was available.

It was so obvious to several of the more experienced persons like Gitlow, Hargis and me that an attempt would be made to smear the whole right wing and this Hargis movement that I told Congressman Scherer when I first saw him when he arrived some 18 or 20 hours before he spoke that he should be unavailable to any person with a communications industry connection until time to make his speech. He did this because he felt that he did not want to contribute in any way to the efforts of the persons who were trying to smear or would try to smear the right wing and the speakers and the program.

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MORNING SESSION

9:00 a.m. Devotional Service

9:10 a.m. Address: DR. R. P. OLIVER
Professor Oliver dramatically describes the dynamics of Communist infiltration into American society.

INTERMISSION

10:45 a.m. Address: MR. R. CARTER PITTMAN
The noted Georgia jurist traces the historical philosophy behind the United States Constitution.

ADJOURNMENT FOR LUNCHEON**AFTERNOON SESSION**

2:00 p.m. Devotional Service

2:10 p.m. Address: MR. EDWARD HUNTER
The noted foreign correspondent reiterates his recent Senate Sub-Committee testimony on discrediting anti-communists in America today.

INTERMISSION

3:45 p.m. Address: MR. MYERS LOWMAN
A veteran researcher on the subject reveals the background of Communist infiltration of American churches.

ADJOURNMENT FOR DINNER**EVENING SESSION**

7:30 p.m. Devotional Service

7:40 p.m. Address: GEN. W. P. CAMPBELL
The practical issues in the battle between Americanism and Communism are presented by this brilliant strategist and tactician, whose outstanding military and civilian achievements have won international praise.

ADJOURNMENT**MORNING SESSION**

9:00 a.m. Devotional Service

9:10 a.m. Address: MR. BENJAMIN GITLOW
The program of the Communist Conspiracy in the United States, its philosophy, tactics and goal is discussed by an expert on the subject from personal experience.

INTERMISSION

10:45 a.m. Address: GEN. W. P. CAMPBELL
The National Education Program executive emphasizes the importance of individual political responsibility in the struggle with Communist subversion.

ADJOURNMENT FOR LUNCHEON**AFTERNOON SESSION**

2:00 p.m. Devotional Service

2:10 p.m. Address: MR. MYERS LOWMAN
The Circuit Riders leader reveals the transmission of pro-Communist propaganda via the channels of education in America.

INTERMISSION

3:45 p.m. Film Feature: "RED CHINA OUTLAW"
Motion pictures factually document the atrocities which forewarn the Free World against the recognition of Red China.

ADJOURNMENT FOR DINNER**EVENING SESSION****"SURVIVAL, U.S.A.!" RALLY**

Municipal Theatre

Boulder at Brady

Chairman: Dr. Billy James Hargis

7:30 p.m. Concert: CHARLES TURNER
Sacred and patriotic musical selections by one of America's great concert and recording artists.

7:45 p.m. Address: GEN. C. A. WILLOUGHBY
Famed Intelligence Chief for Gen. Douglas MacArthur reveals the truth behind the infamous Shanghai Conspiracy—The Sorge Espionage Case.

INTERMISSION

9:00 p.m. Address: CAPT. EDDIE RICKENBACKER
A respected leader in American business and industry warns that conservatism must face up to liberalism without delay.

ADJOURNMENT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

MORNING SESSION

9:00 a.m. Devotional Service

9:10 a.m. Address: GEN. C. A. WILLOUGHBY
An acknowledged expert on the subject discusses the threat of international Communism and how to meet it.

INTERMISSION

11:15 a.m. Film Feature: "THE ULTIMATE WEAPON"
Introduced by actor Ronald Reagan, this powerful new motion picture demonstrates the effect of brainwashing on American soldiers during the Korean War.

ADJOURNMENT FOR HEADQUARTERS TOUR

11:45 a.m. HEADQUARTERS TOUR
An opportunity to see Christian Crusade headquarters in action—just a few blocks away from the Mayo Hotel. (See Map, back cover.)

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 p.m. Devotional Service

2:10 p.m. Address: CAPT. EDDIE RICKENBACKER
The forthright proponent of sound, conservative business and governmental practices speaks his mind on intervention and control.

INTERMISSION

3:45 p.m. Address: MISS BARBARA HARTLE
The true-life testimony of a former Communist and her conversion to Christianity and freedom.

ADJOURNMENT FOR DINNER

EVENING SESSION

"SURVIVAL, U.S.A.!" RALLY

Municipal Theatre
Boulder at Brady
Chairman: Dr. Billy James Hargis

7:30 p.m. Concert: CHARLES TURNER
Noted sacred music soloist brings inspiration and spiritual reality with time-honored selections.

7:45 p.m. Address: MR. BENJAMIN GITLOW
An intimate and revealing analysis of the war Khrushchev plans to win, by a former strategist in that war.

INTERMISSION

9:00 p.m. Address: MR. MATT CVETIC
The sacrifices, dangers and heartaches of a dedicated patriot who led a double life of jeopardy for his country.

ADJOURNMENT

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

MORNING SESSION

9:00 a.m. OPENING CEREMONIES AND DEVOTIONAL
Dedication of School and remarks of welcome from Dr. Billy James Hargis, General Chairman of National Anti-Communist Leadership School.

9:15 a.m. Address: MR. EDWARD HUNTER
One of America's foremost authorities on "brainwashing" and psychological warfare, brings an insight into this insidious Communist technique.

INTERMISSION

10:45 a.m. Address: HON. J. BRACKEN LEE
Mayor of Salt Lake City, Utah, and an outspoken advocate of tax reforms.

ADJOURNMENT FOR LUNCHEON

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 p.m. Devotional Service

2:10 p.m. Address: DR. R. P. OLIVER
Professor, University of Illinois, a true conservative, discusses methods of combatting the growth of internal Communism.

INTERMISSION

3:45 p.m. Address: DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS
Christian Crusade's founder reveals the mounting pressures of the Moscow-directed "anti-anti-Communist" smear campaign.

ADJOURNMENT FOR DINNER

EVENING SESSION

7:30 p.m. Devotional Service

7:40 p.m. Address: HON. J. BRACKEN LEE
The need for conservative statesmen in American government today is emphasized.

INTERMISSION

9:00 p.m. Address: MR. R. CARTER PITTMAN
Distinguished Georgia Constitutional lawyer discusses the real meaning of the Bill of Rights in America today.

ADJOURNMENT

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2



MR. R. CARTER PITTMAN
Dalton, Georgia

Prominent Georgia attorney, State Democratic party leader and international authority on United States Constitution and Revolutionary War. Graduate of Columbia University Law School. Prolific writer for journals of Georgia and American Bar Associations.



CAPT. EDDIE RICKENBACKER
New York City

Chairman of the Board, Eastern Airlines, and famed World War I flying ace. A leader in American industry, especially in the automobile and aviation fields, and a respected and dedicated patriot.



HON. GORDON SCHERER
Cincinnati, Ohio

Congressman from Ohio and a member of House Committee on un-American Activities. Recipient of Americanism Award of the American Legion and commentator on the film. "Operation Abolition"



GEN. C. A. WILLOUGHBY
Washington, D. C.

Christian Crusade's Washington Representative and former Chief of Intelligence for Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Brilliant author, lecturer, on international relations and espionage, he now serves as co-editor, with Dr. Hargis, of Crusade's Weekly Intelligence Digest.



DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS
Tulsa, Okla.

Founder and Director of Christian Crusade, nation's largest anti-Communist organization, and Chairman of National Anti-Communist Leadership School.

MORNING SESSION

9:00 a.m. Devotional Service

9:10 a.m. Address: MRS. HARRY A. ALEXANDER
Dynamic leader in eliminating Communist-authored textbooks from Mississippi schools exposes Socialist and Communist propaganda's infiltration into American education.

INTERMISSION

10:45 a.m. Address: MISS BARBARA HARTLE
Communism, through dupes, sympathizers, fellow-travelers and crypto-Communists, is solidly entrenched in American life, warns the former Red leader.

ADJOURNMENT FOR LUNCHEON

12:00 Noon Public Luncheon

IVORY ROOM—\$3 Per Person

Special Speaker: MR. EDWARD HUNTER

The cause, effect and cure for "brain-washing" in America today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 p.m. Devotional Service

2:10 p.m. Address: MR. MATT CVETIC
A qualified and proven expert discusses the tactics of counterespionage.

INTERMISSION

3:45 p.m. Address: DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS
The director of America's largest and fastest-growing anti-communist organization directs attention to the threat of liberalism in politics.

ADJOURNMENT FOR DINNER

EVENING SESSION

Chairman: Dr. Billy James Hargis

7:30 p.m. Devotional Service

7:40 p.m. Address: HON. GORDON SCHERER
The Ohio Congressman with authentic knowledge from Congressional investigations, reveals what and who is behind today's "witch hunts."

10:00 p.m. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

FINAL ADJOURNMENT

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

"SURVIVAL, U.S.A." RALLIES

Special public rallies will be held on Wednesday night, Jan. 31, and Thursday night, Feb. 1. However, seats have been reserved for all participants in the School, at no additional cost, and will be found in your official Leadership School Packet.

HEADQUARTERS TOUR (Thursday)

Scheduled before and during the lunch hour on Thursday, this invitation to inspect Christian Crusade's operations in full swing also allows time to meet members of the organization's staff.

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE STAFF

Organization staff members will be recognizable throughout the period of the School by their distinctive badges. Whether at the Hotel, Auditorium or Headquarters, if any member of our staff can be of assistance, please feel free to request their aid.

CONTRIBUTIONS TAX EXEMPT

Contributions to Christian Crusade are deductible by the donors in computing their taxable income, according to an opinion rendered in 1953 by the United States Treasury Department.

FRIDAY LUNCHEON

Also open to the public, School participants may reserve tickets for this luncheon, to be held in the Ivory Room, Mayo Hotel, at noon on Friday, Feb. 2, at a cost of \$3 per person.

BOOKS, LITERATURE, TAPES DISPLAY

A large selection of Christian-American books, literature, tapes and films are displayed on the Mezzanine, and are for sale to interested parties.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

Christian Crusade will award a special Certificate of Completion to each person who attends and completes these courses of instruction.

SEMINAR PROCEEDINGS

General highlights of the National Anti-Communist Leadership School will be printed in a booklet form shortly after the conclusion of the School. Printed texts of the formal lectures will also be sent to each registrant. Tape recordings will be available at \$10 each or \$100 for fourteen tapes of the fourteen speakers.

MISS BARBARA HARTLE

Seattle, Washington

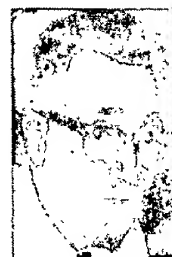
Member and leader of American Communist Party from 1934 to 1953. She testified in San Francisco in May, 1960, during House Committee on Un-American Activities hearings and was main reason for communist inspired demonstration against the hearings.



MR. EDWARD HUNTER

Washington, D. C.

Famous foreign correspondent, originator of term "brainwashing," and America's greatest authority on subject. His recent testimony before Senate Internal Security Sub-Committee exposed Moscow-born plan to repudiate anti-communists in the U.S.A.



HON. J. BRACKEN LEE

Salt Lake City, Utah

Mayor of Salt Lake City, former Governor of Utah, one of America's foremost conservative Republican leaders. Internationally famous anti-communist.



MR. MYERS LOWMAN

Cincinnati, Ohio

Founder-Director of Circuit Riders, Inc. and veteran anti-communist researcher. Publisher of public records of Communist infiltration and subversion of Churches, church-related groups and educators.



DR. R. P. OLIVER

Urbana, Illinois

Professor of Classics, University of Illinois, and noted international scholar. Cited for outstanding service in World War II as Director of Research for secret War Department agency. A famous anti-communist university professor, he is one of the most sought-after speakers in America today.



THE FACULTY

The Faculty for the National Anti-Communist Leadership School consists of some of the most famous and outstanding conservative leaders in our Nation today. Some of them will be in attendance for the entire School; others' time in Tulsa will be limited. Their lectures will be followed by Open Discussion periods, moderated by the Chairman of each session.



MRS. HARRY ARTZ ALEXANDER
Grenada, Miss.

Mississippi leader in fight against communist-authored school textbooks. An expert on school textbooks in Elementary and Secondary Schools, Mrs. Alexander will lecture on "Socialist and Pro-Communist Propaganda in Textbooks."



GEN. WILLIAM P. CAMPBELL
Searcy, Arkansas

Vice-President of National Education Program, Searcy, formerly Assistant Chief of Finance, U.S. Army. Recipient of George Washington Honor Medal from Freedoms Foundation; producer of famous film, "Communism on the Map."



MR. MATT CVETIC
Hollywood, California

For 9 years a counterspy for the FBI, posing as one of America's top ten communists. Author of "I Was a Communist for the FBI" which became a motion picture and radio-television series. Author of present best seller, "The Big Decision."



MR. BENJAMIN GITLOW
New York City

Former head of the American Communist Party and member of international governing committee in Moscow before breaking with Stalin in 1929. Now aids U. S. Government security agencies in the fight against communism.

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impress himself as a
spy.*

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
Billy James Hargis, D.D.
Founder-President

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Honorable James C. Davis — Congressman from Georgia
Mrs. Mary Barclay Erb — Editor, "Report to America," Former National Defense Chr., D.A.R., New York, N.Y.
Brigadier General Bonner Fellers — National Director of "For America," U. S. Army, retired, Washington, D. C.
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Honorable Hamilton Fish — Former Congressman from New York; first Chairman of the Congressional Committee on Un-American Activities, New York, N. Y.
J. H. Gipson, Sr. — Distinguished publisher of Libertarian Books, Caldwell, Idaho
Dr. Alfred P. Haake — Noted Libertarian Economist; Chairman, "Layman's National Committee," Largo, Fla.
Dr. Bob Jones, Jr. — President, Bob Jones University, Greenville, South Carolina

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Otis Beall Kent — Celebrated Rightist Attorney, Rockville, Md.

Walter Knott — Knott's Berry Farm, Buena Park, Calif.

Fred C. Koch — President, Rock Island Oil Company, Wichita, Kans.

Honorable J. Bracken Lee — Mayor, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Brigadier General William L. Lee — U.S. Air Force, Retired, Amarillo, Texas

D. B. Lewis — President, Dr. Ross Pet Food Company; T.V. sponsor of Dan Smoot, Los Angeles, Calif.

Milton M. Lory — President, American Coalition of Patriotic Societies, Past Pres. Gen'l., S. A. R., Sioux City, Iowa.

Lieutenant General Sumter L. Lowry — U.S.N.G., (Ret.), Tampa, Fla.

Clarence E. Manion — Former Dean, Notre Dame Law School, Moderator, "The Manion Forum," South Bend, Ind.

Miss Betty McConkey — Director, Anti-Communist Crusades, Des Moines, Iowa.

Thurman H. McCoy — Patriotic Retail Merchant, Atlanta, Ga.

Robert E. Nesmith — Patriotic Industrialist, Houston, Texas

Dr. Revilo P. Oliver — Professor, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Mrs. Jessica Wyatt Payne — W. Va. Americanism Chairman, American Legion Auxiliary, Huntington, W. Va.

Honorable M. T. Phelps — Former Chief Justice of Arizona, Phoenix, Ariz.

Hugh S. Ramsey, M. D. — Conservative Crusader, Bloomington, Ind.

Honorable John H. Rousselot — Congressman from California.

R. B. Snowden — Distinguished Arkansas Planter, Memphis, Tenn.

Honorable Wint Smith — Former Congressman from Kansas, Manhattan, Kans.

Lieutenant General George E. Stratemeyer — U.S. Army, Retired, Winter Park, Fla.

Dr. Charles C. Tansill — Noted Historian; Author "Back Door to War," etc., Washington, D. C.

Dr. Joseph F. Thorning — Associate Editor of "World Affairs," Frederick, Md.

John B. Trevor, Jr. — Outstanding Patriot, New York, N. Y.

Harold Lord Varney — Pres. Comm. on Pan-American Policy, New York, N. Y.

Colonel William E. Warner — Chairman, Ohio Coalition of Patriotic Societies, Columbus, Ohio

Wheeler Williams, N.A. — Famous Sculptor (of the Robert Taft Memorial, etc.), New York, N. Y.

Major General C. A. Willoughby — Chief of Intelligence for General MacArthur during World War II and the Korean War, Washington, D. C.

Please read the following announcements **carefully**, for they concern your comfort, convenience and concentration during the sessions of this Seminar.

DEVOTIONAL SERVICES

Each Study Session will be preceded by a short devotional service, led by one of our Pastor friends.

THE PRESS

Wide press coverage is anticipated for this Seminar. A Press Room has been provided for press representatives attending, and a special Press Section has been located in the Pompeian Room for class sessions. Official Working Press representatives are designated by Press Badges, issued by the Press Director only upon presentation of proper credentials.

SECURITY MEASURES

A uniformed officer will be stationed at the entrance door at all sessions, and will examine Identification Badges of everyone entering meeting room. All officers on duty as Security Agents are members of the Tulsa Police Department, serving off-duty hours under the supervision of Capt. Larry Coulson.

MOTION PICTURE FILMING

Television networks and motion picture companies will photograph the majority of the formal messages, and it is hoped that Session participants will not be inconvenienced by this activity. Every precaution has been taken to assure a minimum of confusion during the filming periods.

RECESS PERIODS

Following each lecture presentation and discussion period, a recess will be held for the comfort of participants. Coffee and soft drinks will be served in one of the ante-rooms on the Mezzanine, for your refreshment.

NO SMOKING, PLEASE!

Because of the closeness of the meeting room, as well as consideration for those of our participants who do not smoke, we respectfully request smokers to confine smoking to the recess periods.

WEAR YOUR BADGE!

Your identification badge is your ticket of admission to all official functions of this school, so please wear it in plain view at all times.



Greetings—

... to all present at this first, annual National Anti-Communist Leadership School to be sponsored by our organization. Whether you be "student" or "teacher", observer or representative of the press, it is our hope that the benefits you derive from these study sessions will be lasting and worthwhile—and productive of action on your part in the continuing fight against Godless Communism.

Billy James Hargis

PURPOSE

The Purpose to which this National Anti-Communist Leadership School is dedicated, is four-fold:

1. **To encourage** conservative leaders in local communities to assume their responsibilities as Americans in militantly opposing the encroachments of liberalism, government control, state Socialism and, ultimately, Communism upon all phases of our American existence.
2. **To instruct** these leaders in the techniques and methods designed to curb and finally eliminate Communist infiltration into the institutions of American life.
3. **To supply** these leaders with irrefutable facts, completely documented and authenticated, for specific use in eliminating unfounded, generalized, and therefore harmful, attacks.
4. **To emphasize** the need for responsibility, sensitivity and intelligence in such actions, within Christian and Constitutional standards.

STATEMENT OF POLICY

Regarding Christian Crusade's National Anti-Communist Leadership School and Survival U.S.A. Rallies

Christian Crusade's National Anti-Communist Leadership School was prompted by many letters received from people around the United States who expressed deep concern over communist inroads in our nation, but were puzzled over what they, as individuals, could do about it. The school was designed to help Americans with leadership qualities prepare themselves for leading roles in their own communities in this fight to preserve constitutional government and Christian freedom.

During the past two years many spontaneous movements have arisen because of the rising concern on the part of Americans over the future of their nation. Many of these groups lack guidance and do not have the factual information necessary for an effective effort. We feel that participants in our Leadership School will help to provide some of the needed leadership after they have received a week's training by some of America's foremost anti-communist leaders.

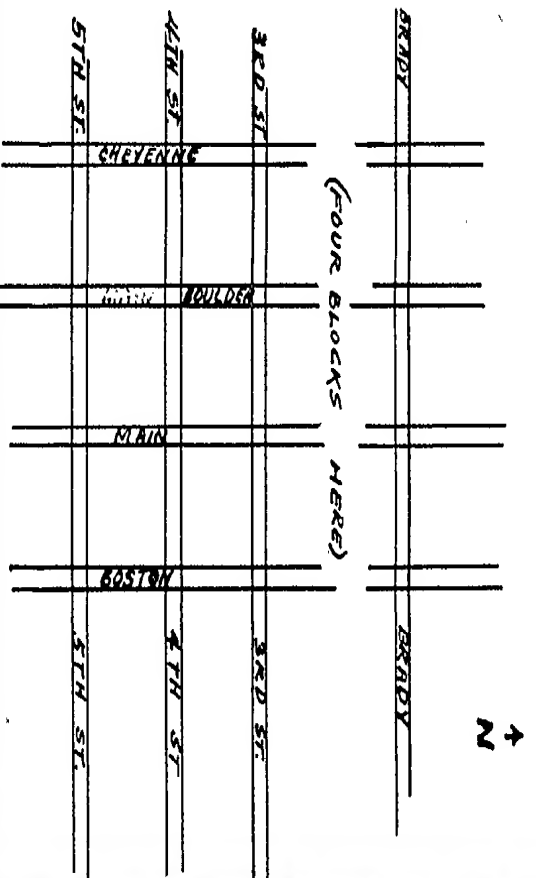
Christian Crusade does not encourage our speakers to make extreme, generalized statements which are shocking to the average citizen. However, we do not censor speeches in advance. Each speaker at this school and our "Survival, U.S.A., Rallies" will be free to make his own remarks. We are against shocking generalities because the communists and left-wing radicals have frequently quoted these shocking generalities from anti-communist speeches and misled many Americans into believing that the speaker did not know his subject. The facts are ignored and the generalities used as ammunition against those fighting Communism.

From time to time we are attacked as being anti-Negro, anti-Semitic, and anti-Church. All of these charges are without foundation. Christian Crusade is anti-communist and believes firmly in the constitutional form of government left us by our Founding Fathers. We are against all wild spending schemes which tear down this wonderful form of government left us by the wisest human beings who ever set up a government. We are for economy in government at all levels and against centralization of government. We oppose aid from our nation to communist dictatorships. These and similar principles makes us anti-communists and that is all.

Our meetings are open to the public and the presence of any groups or individuals considered to be extreme in any way does not mean that such groups or individuals are affiliated with Christian Crusade. Their presence does not imply approval or non-approval on our part. We are often smeared with this "guilt by association" technique which communists and left-wing liberals scream about when their activities are exposed.

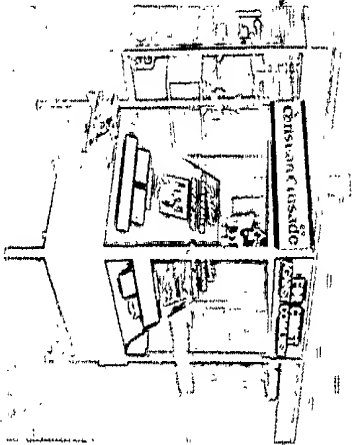
Billy James Hargis

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to visit Christian
Crusade's attractive
and much publicized
display at Tulsa's
beautiful new
Municipal Airport. It's
a visit that is certainly
worth your while!

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*Bill James Mangels, III, D.
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Dear [Redacted]

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Your letter of March 6, 1962, has been received, and I appreciate the concern prompting you to write.

With regard to your inquiry, you may be interested in securing a copy of the "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" which is prepared and released by the House Committee on Un-American Activities. In it are listed groups and periodicals which have been cited by various state and Federal agencies, and a copy can be purchased for seventy cents from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Corner of North Capitol and H Streets, Northwest, Washington 25, D. C.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: As indicated in correspondent's letter, our outgoing to him on 2-28-62 advised him that the FBI does not make evaluations nor draw conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. Our files contain no other identifiable information concerning him.

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MARCH 6, 1962

HON. J. EDGAR HOOVER
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

DEAR MR. HOOVER:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF FEBRUARY 28 IN
REPLY TO MINE OF FEBRUARY 24TH IN WHICH I ASKED
IF YOU COULD GIVE ME ANY OPINION AS TO THE MERIT
OF THE CHRISTIAN CRUSADE.

I CAN UNDERSTAND NOW WHY YOU CANNOT GIVE OUT
OPINIONS ON SUCH ORGANIZATIONS; BUT HOW IS A
PERSON TO FIND OUT IF A PARTICULAR ORGANIZATION
IS A GOOD ONE OR NOT.

WE READ SO OFTEN OF PEOPLE WHO HAVE UNWITTINGLY
BECOME INVOLVED IN AN ORGANIZATION WHICH LATER
TURNS OUT TO BE A QUESTIONABLE ONE. IS THERE ANY
PLACE ONE CAN TURN TO FIND OUT WHICH ORGANIZATIONS
ARE WORTHWHILE AND WHICH ARE NOT; SO HE CAN SUPPORT
THE GOOD ONES AND AVOID THE QUESTIONABLE ONES?

I WILL APPRECIATE ANY ADVICE YOU CAN GIVE ME.

YOURS TRULY

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In Memoriam

Dear Crusade Friend:

March, 1962

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With a sad heart I must write this letter to my friends to inform you of a great loss. Five of our most important radio stations cancelled our daily broadcasts this week because we did not have the money to pay our account.

We lost our radio voice this week in the following vital areas:

KLIR - Denver, Colorado

KJSK - Columbus/Lincoln, Nebraska

KJRG - Newton/Wichita, Kansas

WVIM - Vicksburg, Mississippi

KCLO - Leavenworth/Kansas City, Kansas/Missouri

We had been on the Denver, Newton, Leavenworth and Columbus stations (all owned by the same man - an evangelical preacher) for over five years. When the owner bought these stations, we placed our broadcasts on all of them. In fact, for two years the income from these areas was not sufficient to pay for the time. But, desirous of helping these struggling Christian radio stations, we stayed with them. In recent years, we finally built up a large enough audience to underwrite the cost of the radio time. Now, however, without warning or a chance to raise the deficit, our broadcasts in Denver, Newton, Leavenworth and Columbus have been cancelled. Our voice is temporarily stilled in these great areas.

Our daily and weekly broadcasts are now heard on over 200 radio and television stations. Unfortunately, as I have been telling you in my letters, our income has been down the last few months. We got behind with about forty of these stations. I wrote them personally at Christmas time and told them our accounts would be paid in full by April 1. I explained that I was planning to write our supporters across the country to raise the funds to pay them.

It is apparent to me that some of these stations are "running scared". They are afraid of their local press and liberal clergy, and may even be looking for an excuse to cancel our broadcasts. This is not true of most of our loyal stations...however, I feel in my heart that this is the case with several.

Yet, out of this heartache, there is a "ray of hope." Take, for instance, Denver. The same week we were cancelled off KLIR there, two other Denver stations contacted us asking for our broadcasts. For every station that is "afraid" to carry our program, there are ten that want to carry it. However, we must have sufficient support if we continue to add new stations.

This week, a friend in Idaho wrote that he will personally pay for the time to place our program on his local station. Our station in New Orleans wrote that they will carry our broadcast TWICE daily, once free, in order to get our message out to the people of that great city. Another station owner contacted us wanting to carry our broadcast over a 10,000 watt station in Wichita which he just bought. So, God is still on the Throne. For every door that is shut, God opens a dozen more.

I am hurt that we would lose some of our good stations for lack of funds or for other reasons. Our station in Dallas, KSKY, cancelled our program January 1, in spite of the fact we agreed to borrow the money and pay them for the back time. But, the same week the Dallas station cancelled, we were able to place our broadcast on a powerful 50,000 watt station in Dallas/Fort Worth, KCUL, giving us much more wide-spread coverage for our investment.

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As I write this letter, I am on an extended speaking tour of California and New Mexico. We arrived in California at the time of the floods and extensive rainy period. The bad weather hurt our crowds and our offerings. We have not done nearly so well financially as we did out here last February and September. This has been another disappointment. I had great hopes of raising the radio deficit of \$50,000, or at least raising a significant portion of it on this tour. If you friends only knew the heartaches that we must bear to continue this Crusade, I am sure these letters and appeals for funds would have even greater meaning.

Christian Crusade has been getting national publicity (some of it unfair and pure smear) since the highly successful Christian Crusade Anti-Communist Leadership School which closed in Tulsa February 2. On Friday, February 16, Christian Crusade was featured on a half-hour NBC Television program seen by an estimated 18 million called "Chet Huntley Reports." On the following Thursday night, February 22, our work was again featured on a CBS Television program called "CBS REPORTS... THUNDER ON THE RIGHT", seen nationally. That extreme liberal-slanted publication, LOOK, in the current issue, has tried to smear and discredit our fight against godless communism.

However, all the liberal attacks against CHRISTIAN CRUSADE have failed thus far and WILL FAIL, providing we do not fail God and the Movement. What the liberals cannot do to Christian Crusade, we can do by failing her in her hour of need. If this movement ever goes down in defeat (and God forbid it), it will be because many of us did not do our best to sustain it... support it... when it was under attack.

Oh, my dear friends, we need help. We need help right now. I would not burden you with this appeal for funds were it not absolutely necessary. However, I have learned through experience, if I ask God and His people for help in emergencies, we will not be let down. Please, please, I beg you in Christ's name, send the largest gift you can immediately to help pay this radio deficit. Thank God, our broadcasts on the Mutual Broadcasting System are paid for in advance. But some of our oldest stations... and most important stations... are endangered at this writing. I have no choice... I must raise \$50,000 with this letter or we will lose even additional important key stations that we have been on for many years. Most of the station managers are considerate, and are working with us... but I have promised that we would get current by April 1, and we must honor our word.

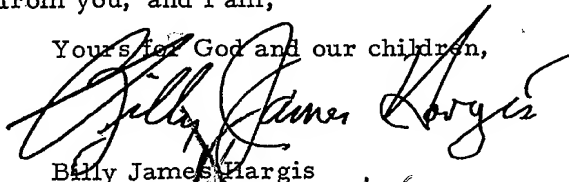
We ask for sympathetic prayers and confident support. The liberals rejoice over our present financial predicament. We do not have the sources of funds that they do... the liberal foundations and mistaken internationalist-minded do-gooders.

We need gifts of \$1,000 or more... will you send that amount if you can? We need gifts of \$500, \$200, and many, many gifts of \$100. If you have sent similar large contributions in the past, please, please duplicate your effort now. We are desperate for the \$50, \$25, \$20, \$10, and \$5 gifts, and an avalanche of \$4 or less gifts are absolutely essential to meet this demand. I beg for 100 per cent response to this appeal from my soul... my burdened soul.

Because of the great importance of our book, "Communist America - Must It Be?" a new 100,000 edition is now being printed, pocketbook size. We are desirous of sending you one of the first copies that rolls off the press, to either keep or to give to someone who needs to know the truths that we have shared with you for so many years.

May God lead you to do your best now, and do it quickly. I will be home by March 11, and will anxiously await every mail to hear from you, and I am,

Yours for God and our children,


Billy James Hargis

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
Re: Billy James Hargis

troops to Europe; Edward Hunter (no further identification furnished) who spoke on the psychological aspects of the contest between conservatives and communism; and General Bonner Fellers who spoke on foreign aid and invited everyone to write to him and he would send them information on how much was spent in foreign aid, stating that 106 billion dollars spent on foreign aid up to the 1962 budget was undermining the country and that the recipients of this foreign aid could band together and ruin this country and that the cancellation of the B-70 Bomber was due to communist pressure.

Congressman E. Y. Berry (R-South Dakota) spoke on a liberal booklet entitled "Thirty-five Congressmen on Foreign Policy - The Liberal Viewpoint." Berry stated this booklet set forth 9 points, the major point being the recognition of Red China. He told those present to get after Congress and see if their representatives were for or against the points in this booklet.

Congressman John H. Rousselot (R-California), described by the source as the best speaker whose speech had the most impact, in his talk spoke of the trend toward socialism in Congress and the Government. He also mentioned that the Americans for Democratic Action and the AFL-CIO were working toward socialism. He also stated that Senator Hubert Humphrey is for socialism. Rousselot advocated that the conservatives take the initiative against this trend in Government.

[redacted] (phonetic) stated he represented the Citizen's Committee of Research, Indianapolis, Indiana, and that his group had instituted a law suit against the Attorney General which stopped the exchange of tractors for prisoners held by the Cubans. [redacted] stated the conservatives need a national network of communication and dissemination of information. b6
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An unidentified woman who stated she was the head of the American Coalition of Patriotic Societies, 1025 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., stated there are 117 groups affiliated with her organization and that her organization has a mailing list of conservatives of approximately 20,000 to 25,000 names.

A male individual identified only by the name of Smith from McLean, Virginia, stated the only way to control the communications media is to buy a television station or a newspaper, adding that if the conservatives owned such a station or newspaper they could control the representatives in Congress from that area.

It is noted that General Willoughby, mentioned above, was formerly Chief of Staff for Intelligence for General MacArthur and the General Fellers is associated with the "For America" group which is located at 1001 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C.

ACTION:

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-40068)

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE MEETINGMarch 20, 1962,
Washington Hotel,
Washington, D. C.

MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and seven copies of a letterhead memo concerning captioned group.

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Re: Christian Crusade Meeting

Billy Hargis

James Billy Hargis

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Christian Crusade. Reverend Billy James Hargis organized the Washington gathering. It was first booked as a private meeting for Tuesday night and a public rally Wednesday night. The Wednesday night meeting was still being talked about Tuesday night at 7 o'clock by the registration clerk and a few early comers; later it was announced there would be no public meeting, but simply a press conference on Wednesday morning. The press and the general public were excluded from the Tuesday meeting. Later in the evening at approximately 8:30 or 9:00 some young curiosity seekers or friends of people at the meeting were admitted without previous clearance or registration. This still did not swell the attendance to over 100 since there were still a few vacant chairs at some tables.

Those in attendance or those organizations with a representative at the meeting that could be identified are listed below:

SPEAKERS

Congressman E. V. Beery

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E. V. BERRY

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General Bonner Fellers

Mr. Benjamin Gitlow

Reverend James Billy Hargis

Mr. Edward Hunter

Congressman John Rousselot

General Charles Willoughby

In the audience:



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It should be noted that the American Legion stated in the Washington Post of Thursday, March 22, 1962, that the Legion National headquarters said it "has neither mandated nor instructed any person to represent it in an

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Re: Christian Crusade Meeting

official capacity in connection with the current activities of Reverend Billy Hargis in Washington." Reverend Hargis arrived about a half hour late and began the meeting with an introduction and a short talk. He stressed the fact that the group should work together regardless of differences, that differences are bound to occur and are normal. He also stressed the fact that some sort of organization might be created for future meetings and that a working committee should be established to consider what future action was necessary. He then put in a pitch for not having himself on the committee but having a group of local workers plan annual quarterly, monthly, or even weekly meetings according to their wishes and needs. He kept repeating this so that the idea for spontaneous response was thoroughly indoctrinated into the minds of the audience. He then introduced the following speakers: General Fellers, General Willoughby, Congressman Rousselot, Congressman Berry, Edward Hunter, Benjamin Gitlow; a local minister gave a prayer at the beginning of the meeting.

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- 2 - Yellow file copy
- 1 - 97-3475 (Hargis)
- ① - 100-42482 (Christian Crusade)
- 1 - N. P. Callahan
- 1 - [redacted]
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April 2, 1962

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-415762)

**PUBLICATIONS OF THE
CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
BY DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS**

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Christian Crusade, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma, has advertised that the following publications, written by Dr. Hargis, are available.

1. "Communist America... Must It Be?"
2. "Threats to Christian Education"
3. "The Truth About UNESCO"

The prices of these publications are not known.

You should make discreet arrangements to obtain one copy of each of the above publications. These items should be forwarded to the Bureau marked to the attention of the Central Research Section.

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NOTE: SA R. W. Smith, Central Research Section, requests above publications for reference purposes.

Hargis was ordained a minister in the Christian Church, but since 1952 has been a nondenominational evangelist. He operates the Christian Echoes National Ministry, Inc., Tulsa, Oklahoma, whose official publication is the "Christian Crusade." Hargis has been described as a militant anti-communist crusader and conducts regular radio broadcasts as well as lectures throughout the United States and foreign countries.

Hargis has been investigated by the Bureau under the Registration Act following his meeting with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and a visit to that country. The Department advised that there was insufficient evidence to establish that he was an Agent of the Dominican Republic. (97-3475-46)

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Director, FBI

① CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
RACIAL MATTERS

Enclosed for your information are the following:
A copy of a letter dated April 10, 1962, from J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, to the Director, FBI, captioned "Letter from Mr. Jules Striso, New York, New York." This letter had as enclosures the following: A letter dated March 7, 1962, signed by Jules Striso on the letterhead of B. F. Nielson Associates, Inc., 21 West 46th Street, New York 36, New York, addressed to the Attorney General. This letter deals with subject organization and Rev. Billy James Hargis. As enclosures to this letter to the Attorney General, Mr. Striso furnished a pamphlet of the First Annual National Anti-Communist Leadership School conducted at Tulsa, Oklahoma, January 29 - February 2, 1962; a blank check made out to be payable to the order of the Christian Crusade and a newspaper clipping from the "New York Times" dated January 30, 1962, pertaining to subject organization.

Bureau files disclose that in an investigation conducted by the Navy in 1952 information was developed that a Jules Albert Striso, a former Navy Lieutenant, was attempting to obtain a research billet in a West Coast Public Relations Unit of the Navy. His application was rejected because of information previously developed by the Navy concerning his "obnoxious personal conduct in China and association with alleged notorious opium and counterfeit operators."

It cannot definitely be determined if the Jules Striso who had written to the Attorney General is identical with the Jules Albert Striso mentioned in Bureau files. It appears likely, however, that he is.

The above is being furnished to your office for information. In the event any information is received by your office indicating that the subject organization is engaging in anti-semitic, anti-catholic or other hate-type

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RE: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE

activities, you should furnish this information to the Bureau in letterhead memorandum form suitable for dissemination. There is no indication in Bureau files that this organization has engaged in hate activity in the past but has confined itself to fighting communism.

NOTE: Bureau files indicate that Jules Striso is President of the B. F. Nielson Associates, Inc. By letter 12/21/61 he corresponded with Assistant Director William C. Sullivan in an attempt to have the Bureau participate in preparing fifty 5 minute television programs relating to communism and freedom. The offer was rejected. (64-46304-9)

Bureau files also indicate that Striso has been arrested on several occasions for drunkenness. He admittedly has been associated with [redacted] the hoodlum who has since been deported to Italy. In 1960 it was alleged that Striso was engaged in the sale of military-type aircraft including P-51's with armor attached as well as ammunition for the armament. According to an informant, Striso was in the process of selling some aircraft to a Latin American individual. (64-46304)

Striso appears to be an opportunist of unsavory character and no interview of him is being undertaken since it is felt he might use such for his own purposes.

It will be sufficient to alert the Oklahoma City Office of his allegations concerning subject organization.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation DATE: April 10 1962

FROM : J. Walter Yeagley, Assistant Attorney
General, Internal Security Division

SUBJECT: Letter from Mr. Jules Striso, New York,
New York

There is enclosed for your information a letter dated March 7, 1962 from Mr. Jules Striso, B. F. Neilson Associates, Inc., 21 West 46th Street, New York 36, New York to the Attorney General together with the enclosures accompanying said letter.

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For: SURVIVAL, U.S.A.

B. F. NIELSON ASSOCIATES, INC.

21 WEST 46th STREET
NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

7 March 1962



Attorney General Robert Kennedy
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kennedy:

On the 23rd of February, 1962 you were attacked violently by a Doctor Billy James Hargis on the C.B.C. Reports network program "Thunder on the Right" a matter which more than likely brought to your attention.

As producers of a documentary film "RED CHINA OUTLAW" we became active in filming non partisan material. Red China Outlaw which was extremely successful was endorsed by both Democrats and Republicans and I had the honor of filming Senator Paul Douglas for the show.

Through the activities of one of my associates we came into contact with an organization called Christian Crusade operating out of Tulsa, Oklahoma. There was some conversation regarding the filming of a 90 minute theater feature filmed history of international communism supposedly without sponsorship interference. At this time it was my feeling that such a film was needed for public information. My associate arranged that our company film the Crusades anti-communist seminar in Tulsa. After ten days of exposure to the horrors of this seminar I found myself completely stunned as to what was being done in the name of America and Patriotism !

Beside being anti-semitic, anti-catholic and favoring segregation their methods of fund raising seems completely suspect and might well deserve close scrutiny by your department.

Doctor Hargis' operation is completely controlled by a Tulsa public relations man named L. E. White who originated from the Oral Roberts machine in Tulsa. I had the opportunity to get into the guts of the Oral Roberts operation and that is more than sickening.

It is my respectful feeling that the fund raising activities and use of F.C.C. licensees might warrant some scrutiny by your department.

Sincerely,

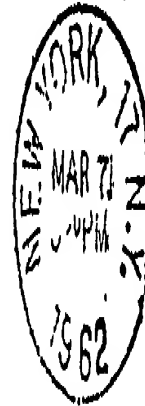
A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jules Striso".

Jules Striso

B. F. NELSON ASSOCIATES, INC.

21 West 46th Street

New York 36, N. Y.



Attorney General Robert Kennedy

United States Department of Justice

Washington, D. C.

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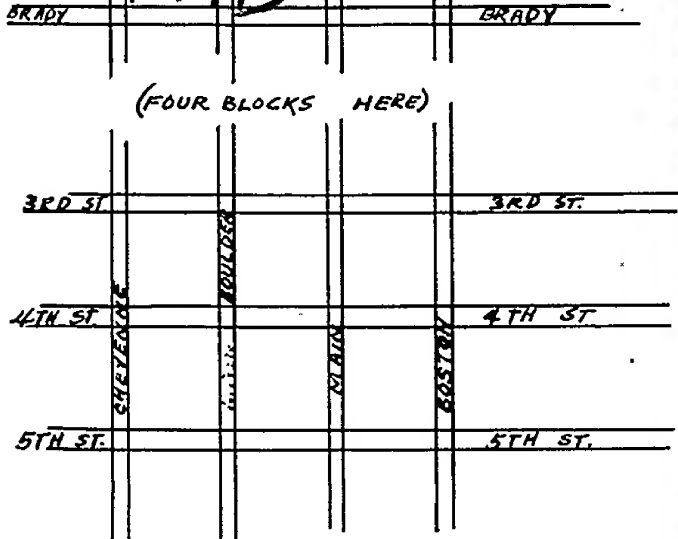
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TULSA 2, OKLAHOMA

First Annual **NATIONAL ANTI-COMMUNIST LEADERSHIP SCHOOL**



Mayo Hotel
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JAN. 29 - FEB. 2, 1962



Sponsored by
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A SEGREGATIONIST ADVISES RIGHTISTS

Anti-Red Leaders' School Told Negroes Are Inferior

By DONALD JANSON
Special to The New York Times

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 29

An Anti-Communist Leadership School heard an attack on racial integration tonight.

R. Carter Pittman, a Georgia lawyer, presented fifty-three pages of what he called a "brief reference to the massive evidence of Negro-white differences that demand segregation."

Integration of schools, he said in an address, has been a "futile and disgraceful experiment."

He said there had been a Communist conspiracy to bring about school integration. He called it "the scientific hoax of the century, perpetrated through Communist influences."

"Individuals are not equal," Mr. Pittman said. "The Caucasian race is many thousands of years ahead of the Negro race in the scale of civilization and white children are several

school years ahead of black children in educability."

The school is sponsored by Christian Crusade, which calls itself the nation's largest anti-Communist organization. It is directed by the Rev. Dr. Billy James Hargis, Tulsa evangelist, from headquarters here.

The five-day school, which opened today, has about 150 students from right-wing organizations around the country. About fifty are college students from two dozen campuses. Many others are ministers.

Among the faculty, besides Mr. Pittman, are Dr. Hargis, Revilo Pendleton Oliver, professor of classics at the University of Illinois and a member of the national council of the John Birch Society; Representative John H. Rousselot, Republican of California; Representative Gordon H. Scherer, Republican of Ohio, and Gen. Charles A. Willoughby, retired, former intelligence chief for General of the Army Douglas MacArthur.

Before Mr. Pittman spoke Dr. Hargis issued a statement of policy. In it he said:

"During the past two years many spontaneous movements have arisen because of the rising concern on the part of Americans over the future of their nation.

"Many of these groups lack guidance and do not have the factual information necessary for an effective effort.

"We feel that participants in our leadership school will help to provide some of the needed leadership after they have received a week's training by some of America's foremost anti-Communist leaders."

Dr. Hargis also said that "bigoted" statements from faculty or student body would not be tolerated.

THE NEW YORK TIMES, TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1962

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR FBI (100-415762)

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ATTENTION: CENTRAL RESEARCH SECTION

FROM : SAC OKLAHOMA CITY (94-234) -RUC-

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SUBJECT: PUBLICATIONS OF THE
CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
BY DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS

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ReBulet to Oklahoma City dated 4-2-62.

On 4-16-62, SA JOE M. PEARSON obtained the following named publications from the Christian Crusade, 9 East 4th St., Tulsa, Oklahoma, under a suitable pretext. The leaflets were furnished free of charge. The Book, "Communist America . . . Must It Be?", was 25¢.

1. ~~Communist America . . . Must It Be?~~ BOOK

2. ~~Threats to Christian Education~~ LEAFLET

3. ~~The Truth About UNESCO~~ LEAFLET

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FROM: OKLAHOMA CITY

RE: PUBLICATIONS OF THE CHRISTIAN CRUSADE BY DR. BILLY JAMES HARGIS

- Leaflets 1. "Communist America . . . Must It Be?"
2. "Threats to Christian Education"
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The Saviour of the world, Jesus Christ, drew the plans for a peaceful world when He said that that Christian truth could set captivity free. Thousands of Godly Americans, wholly dedicated to Him and His truth, accepted the challenge of educating our new Republic with Christian truth while others went out to the four corners of the world, determined to bring Christian education to the enslaved masses. But from the beginning there was opposition to overcome, threats to defeat, risks to be taken and in some cases, death to be met, face to face. None of these things, no matter how dangerous, deterred the earnest Christian from the ceaseless pursuit of his commission given him by the Saviour.

Many of America's best known Universities and seats of learning, were established by these pioneer Christian educator missionaries. Princeton, Yale, Harvard, University of Chicago, just to name a few. These schools were not established by advocates of higher criticism, dedicated to the destruction of orthodox Christianity, but by men and women who held to the faith once and for all delivered unto the saints. And I might add, these Universities that constituted the foundation of Christian education in the United States, in their early days instilled eternal devotion in the lives of their students to the things that make America great...the principles of government that distinguish this country from other nations of the world.

However, there are growing threats that seek the destruction of Christian education in America today. Without a knowledge of these threats we are helpless to defend that sacred Institution that has been a bulwark against unbelief and the infiltration of unworkable socialistic schemes that could well destroy the genius of America.

The future of Christian education is threatened by sinister and ominous forces that unmistakably are succeeding without the knowledge of a complacent uninformed Christian citizenship in our country.

THE THREAT OF ATHEISM

Andrew Jackson once said, "The Bible is the Rock on which this Republic rests." Christian educators have long realized that our concept of freedom and government is established upon the Bible teaching that man is made in the image of God, possessed of God-given rights, and invested with responsibilities and duties to his Creator and his fellow-man. Our cherished rules of honor, integrity

and morality, which are the criterion of good citizenship in this nation are lifted from the pages of this Holy Book, which teaches God's demands of purity and chastity before marriage, the upholding of the Divine Sanctity of the Holy Institution of Matrimony, and the avoidance of all forms of moral uncleanness or untruth.

Since 1926, there has been organized opposition to the advocacy of these Scriptural truths in our Schools of Learning, in spite of the fact that these principles comprise the foundation of the American way of life. At that time, representatives of the two largest organized atheist groups, published their infamous "Ten Demands" which have become the blueprint for the destruction of Christian education. They joined forces to demand the removal of "In God We Trust" from American coins and, the "exclusion of the Bible from the public schools."

On December 21, 1928, the president of one of these atheist societies addressed a letter to William J. O'Shea, superintendent of the New York Department of Education, demanding that the Bible be taken from the schools of New York State. Furthermore, he declared: "Unless this is promptly done, and I am advised by you within the next ten days or two weeks that Bible reading in the public schools will be prohibited and ended, I shall file a Taxpayer's Suit to enjoin this illegal practice."

His threat was not idle chatter, for shortly thereafter, such a suit was pressed before the New York Courts, with the legal cooperation and financial support of various pro-communist and atheistic societies. But the Court of Appeals rejected the radical claim that Bible reading is "illegal" and "unconstitutional" in public schools. However, these anti-God forces refused to acknowledge defeat. Heavily endowed with money and legal talent furnished by so called "liberal groups" such as the American Civil Liberties Union, which often champions left-wing enterprises, these groups went from state to state, harrassing the Courts and Educational Boards, to remove God and the Bible from tax supported schools.

It was in 1955 that the forces of the anti-Christ achieved their greatest victory. In California, the nation's 2nd largest state, the Attorney General of the state, Mr. Edmund G. "Pat" Brown, officially ruled that "Bible reading in the public schools of California would violate the United States Constitution," and further declared that "classroom

prayers, like classroom Bible readings, would be unconstitutional." It is ironical to note, that the man who took the BIBLE out of the schools of California, won the nomination of the Democrat ticket for Governor of California, although his only previous bid to national fame, was the removing of the Word of God from the school rooms of his state.

The anti-Bible decision in California could well be the beginning of the end for an acknowledgement of God and the teaching of Christian morals in American tax supported schools. New Jersey followed suit with a decision last fall that even silent prayer by the students of that state before meals in a school cafeteria, is unconstitutional. This decision was also meted out by the Attorney General of that state.

The abolition of Bible reading has now spread to eleven states in all; which simply means that eleven of our forty nine states cannot legally include Bible references in class room teaching or exercises. At a time when juvenile delinquency sweeps our land like an uncontrollable forest fire, our youth are deprived of the little Christian instruction previously granted them. It must be said that a clear majority of American parents neglect instructing their children in Christian morals, expecting all learning to be gained in the schools. With the neglect of the parents and the legal abolition of religious instruction, we can expect only national chaos and destruction in the future.

To add insult on injury, a group of liberal Protestant clergymen in New York State, deceived by the so-called constitutionality of "enforced unbelief" in the tax supported schools, recently successfully fought the hanging of a framed copy of the Ten Commandments on the Class Room Walls, to remind the students that as Americans we have some moral obligation.

The Christian Church gave birth to the educational system in the United States and now that system turns a deaf-ear to the very inspired message that was its early foundation.

THE THREAT OF UNESCO

Future historians may well pin-point our government's official recognition of atheistic Communist Russia in the early '30's, as the beginning of the end of the Christian American way of life. Until that time, forces of Atheism had completely failed in the removal of the Bible from the public schools, and the poisonous seed of modernism, alias "high-

er criticism," had not infiltrated the ranks of the Church to any alarming degree, to subvert the Church by robbing Her of Her Miraculous Message, as it has done in recent years.

Thus the recognition of Soviet Russia by President Roosevelt, the exchange of diplomatic representatives, and our alliance with that nation in world conflict, opened the doors of our nation to a flood tide of subversive elements that has played havoc with America in general, and Christian education in particular.

Our betrayal of God in the past twenty years is so thorough, and yet it is so contrary to the intentions of our early founding Fathers, who sought to build on this continent a nation of God fearing citizens that practiced faith in daily living.

Review the betrayal, and weep over the condition of our back-slidden nation:

The greatest attack by our government on Christian education, came with the birth of United Nations Education Scientific and Cultural Organization, commonly referred to as UNESCO. With the realization of a United Nations organization, which in all truth must be considered the greatest hoax ever perpetrated on the American people, came its educational affiliate, UNESCO. Organized ten years ago by United Nations directives, its purpose was officially chartered when on November 17, 1947, the General Assembly of the United Nations passed this resolution: "That we take measure to encourage the teaching of the United Nations Charter and its purposes and principles, the structure, background and activities of the United Nations in the schools and institutes of higher learning of their countries, with particular emphasis on such instruction in elementary and secondary schools." Thus, was chartered UNESCO.

Dr. Julian Huxley was selected as the First Director-General of the group, although his reputation as an evolutionist and socialist is a matter of public record. Prior to this exalted position as a moulder of youth's minds via public schools, he was Director of the London Zoo, a job from which he had been fired. He was given eight million dollars annually to run UNESCO, thus publishing his socialist liberal view everywhere.

Mr. Huxley appointed a known Communist, John Grierson, as head of the Mass Communications Sections of UNESCO, a sensitive position that provided him direct access to the minds of America's

school children. However, he was dropped from that position after his name was linked with the Canadian atom spy case in 1946. Dr. Huxley then appointed another Marxian, Joseph Needham, as head of the Natural Science Section. Huxley himself was finally dropped after his communist sympathies became too well known. Today, he is editing a special series of articles for Life Magazine on evolution and the Darwin Theory.

The attack on God by UNESCO is perhaps the most subtle, yet successful, of any. The attack on authority of the individual home and nationalism, is equally disturbing to any Bible believing American. In a series of nine volumes published by UNESCO called TOWARD WORLD UNDERSTANDING, You will find such sentences as these: "We must correct many of the errors of home training" ... "The narrow family spirit of the parents may, in fact, not only compromise indirectly, and in some degree, unconsciously, the eventual integration of the child in the human community, but it may also cultivate attitudes running directly counter to the development of international understanding." ... "In our view, history and geography should be taught at this stage (under 13 years of age) as universal history and geography."

This attack on national pride and the subtle insistence on world government, comes at a time when one-fourth of our American colleges do not require a previous study of American history for entrance, and when two-thirds of America's universities do not require a study of American history for graduation.

For the United States to seriously consider entering a world government machine and thus abolish our states and national rights, would be suicidal to say the least. With a population of only one hundred seventy million people, and in the face of Russia controlling almost one billion in her slave empire, we would be a weak and insignificant voice, tragically unable to preserve a Christian society among the governments of the world.

Is it any wonder that Congressman John T. Wood, on October 18, 1951 said: UNESCO is the greatest subversive plot in history. It is my sincere hope that every parent of every child in America may be read the inroads that this infamous UNESCO plot has already made in the educational system of America, and reading, may feel impelled to do something about it."

THE THREAT OF MODERNISM

For un-regenerate men to participate in the destruction of Christian education is understandable, although certainly not admired. However, for holy men of God to contribute to the abolition of Christian education in America by their sinister, subtle attacks upon the foundation stones of faith, is both contemptuous and traitorous. Even among some theological training schools, we hear the sound of treason, as the glorious Christ is robbed of His virgin Birth, His Blood Atonement, and the Christian hope of His second coming. One such teacher of America's future pastors, a man considered far and wide as one of America's most able theologians, a full fledged professor in an important Seminary with untold influence upon young Pastors, destroys one of the essential foundation stones of the Church when he cries in, the midst of heresy, "Hence, Jesus must have been the child of a German soldier." Again he wrote: "The Christian Church has no significant future till it puts away traditionalistic orthodoxy" ... and of the Saviour, he again wrote: "Jesus never was nor became God ..." of the Bible he wrote "The use of the Bible as the final authority for Christian truth is idolatry." Is it any wonder then that this apostate denier of Christian truth wrote that a coming socialist world was inevitable, and of communism, said: "They are too sharply aware of the imperfect parts of the Bible and too honest with the truth."

In a day when the footnotes of a widely acclaimed new translation of the Bible refers to Joseph, the carpenter, as the father of Jesus ... when one of its translators spoke of the Bible in these words: "Modern investigators - have marshalled too many facts to permit any longer the use of the Bible as an infallible guide in matters of service and history ... the writers did the best of which they were capable under the intellectual limitations of the age in which they lived" ... when another of the translators said of Jesus ... "He was given to overstatements" ... the Church of Christ staggers under the unrelenting blows of its own agonistics.

CONCLUSION

Show me a preacher who will deny His Saviour and His God, and I will show you a man who will repudiate his country if he is given an opportunity. However, there is hope: Until the clouds roll back as a scroll, and Christ reappears for His own at the rapture, there is hope left in the old world. Despite the marshalling of the forces of the anti-

Christ to defeat the miraculous Jesus and His perfect Book, there is still hope. You read it in 11 Chronicles 7:14: "If my people, which are called by My Name, shall humble themselves and pray and seek my face, and TURN FROM THEIR WICKED WAYS, then will I hear from Heaven and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."

Our hope is the intervention of God. Pastors, make sure that your message is in accord with our Lord's inspired message, and then courageously stand on the battle field and contend for the faith, looking to the skies for the victory.

Yes, it was Christian education that gave us the bright shiny dream called "America." It was Christian education that first pointed me to Calvary, and I had the blessed opportunity of proving in my own life the accuracy of its claims and promises.

Christian education does not demand that we all wear the same type of clothing ... or agree on matters of opinion ... but on matters of faith, such as His virgin birth, His Blood Atonement, His bodily resurrection, there cannot be any private opinion or deviation.

Again, a troubled America looks to her ministers for encouragement and faith. Do not give them mud, when they ask bread. Do not give them vaudeville, when they ask worship.

Indeed, it is Christ or Chaos, and the future of the nation is in the hands of those who will either accept and acknowledge defeat, or will do something about it by the grace of God. Amen.

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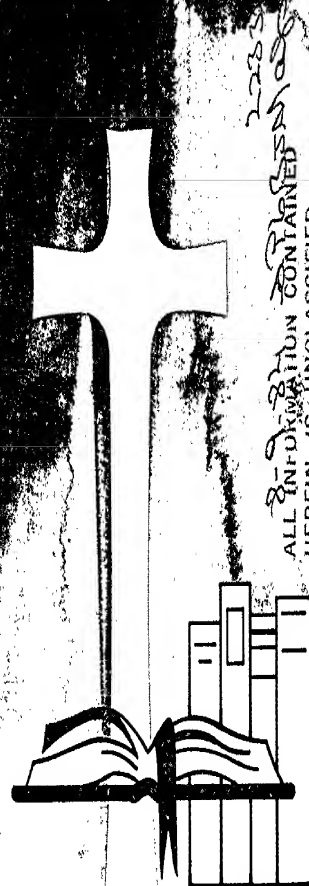
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THE TRUTH ABOUT UNESCO

There is no question as to the intent of the founding fathers of our great nation. In the Mayflower Compact they wrote, "In the name of God, amen. We, whose names are underwritten . . . having undertaken for the glory of God, and advancement of the Christian Faith . . . do by these presents solemnly and mutually, in the presence of God and one another, covenant and combine ourselves together into a civil body politic, for our better ordering and preservation and furtherance of the ends aforesaid."

Woodrow Wilson said, "America was born a Christian nation. America was born to exemplify that devotion to the elements of righteousness which are derived from the Holy Scriptures."

The opening words of both our Constitution and the Declaration of Independence affirm a belief in God as the creator and sustainer of life. These are the principles that have made America great and enabled our pioneers to draft the liberties which we have so long enjoyed here.

AMERICAN FOUNDATION ERODED

Such a trend has not been maintained in our government, however. In fact, there are cunningly devised organizations now in operation whose sole aim is to destroy our religious heritage and make us an atheistic nation. One such organization is UNESCO, *The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization*.

The United Nations Charter authorized that body to promote the formation of an affiliated agency for educational and cultural development. It was at a Conference in London, November 1945, that the UNESCO Constitution was developed. Since that time, American taxpayers have paid almost one third of the cost of UNESCO. In the year 1960, according to the Eighth Report on United States Contributions to International Organizations, submitted by the State Department to the United States House of Representatives, the United States contribution to UNESCO was \$3,789,810.00. The 1961 estimate is \$3,832,952.00, an increase of over \$43,000.00. Since its beginning, U. S. taxpayers have given UNESCO \$133,314,410.00.

If we are paying all of this money, we ought to be getting something in return that is for the good of America! In their propaganda, UNESCO says

that one of its chief purposes is to contribute to peace and security. In order to do this, UNESCO holds conferences, conducts studies, and disseminates what they call "factual" information on the natural sciences, social sciences, cultural activities and related ideas. Their actual activity, however, is quite another thing!

UNESCO PURPOSES DEFINED

Former Senator William Benton expressed the purpose of UNESCO in these words at the first meeting of the United States National Commission for UNESCO, September 23, 1946:

"We are at the beginning of a long process of breaking down the walls of national sovereignty . . . In this process UNESCO can be—and indeed must be—the pioneer . . . You give for the first time in our history a collective brain to the whole nervous system of American science, culture, education and means of communication."

Milton Eisenhower, in a speech in Wichita, Kansas in 1949, had this to say about UNESCO:

"One can truly understand UNESCO only if one views it in its historical context, and viewed in this way it reveals itself as one more step in our halting, painful—but I think very real—progress toward a genuine world government."

Now I don't think that this could be made any plainer. Americans—you and I—have paid, since the inception of UNESCO, over 133 million dollars to destroy our Constitutional form of government and bring us under a great one-world system.

RE-WORKING AMERICA'S EDUCATION

One of the means devised to bring about this breakdown of nationalism in America is through the school system. This is outlined in a series of nine volumes entitled "Toward World Understanding." This series is aimed at instructing kindergarten and elementary school teachers in preparing our children for the day when their loyalty will be to a world government instead of to God and the American form of government.

In booklet five of this dissolute study, the teachers are told:

" . . . before the child enters school, his mind has already been profoundly marked . . . by earlier influences. The earlier years may be indispensable to the education of children for world citizenship. The kindergarten and infant school . . . can prepare the child for membership in a world society. . . . As long as the child breathes the poisoned air of nationalism, education in world mindedness can produce only precarious results."

In the Kremlin dominated nations the children are

taken from their parents and raised by the State. This is true of China and Cuba as well. In America, things are not quite that easy, so the teachers must be told what to teach even the very youngest in order to overcome the nationalistic trends of their more patriotic parents—at the expense of these very parents, of course.

But the UNESCO indoctrination program is not confined only to the elementary grades. Their latest project is a "history book" which was completed at the end of 1960. As far as we know, the book is now in use in some of our nation's high schools. It is entitled "A History of the Scientific and Cultural Development of Mankind."

COMMUNISTS & LEFTISTS COLLABORATE

This project was set in motion by Joseph Needham, a British Marxist who supported the Communist lie that the United States used "germ warfare" in Korea. A. A. Zvorikine of the Soviet Union is a vice-president of the commission and 13 other representatives from the Soviet Union are corresponding members or consultants. There are three representatives from Communist Hungary, three from Poland, three from Czechoslovakia and two from Yugoslavia. The final editor of the history, and a vice-president of the commission, is a citizen of the United States named Ralph E. Turner. Mr. Turner has the dubious distinction of having been fired some years ago from the University of Pittsburgh because of his atheism. Among the other 25 members from the U.S. who are working on the book are extreme left-wingers Arthur Schlesinger and John K. Fairbank.

The famous atheist, Julian Huxley, formerly the first director of UNESCO, is a vice-president of this commission. Mr. Huxley made his position clear when he said, "I do not believe in a god or gods." The *Intelligence Digest* of London, England quoted him as saying, "Operationally, God is beginning to resemble, not a ruler, but the last fading smile of a cosmic Cheshire cat."

The well-known British crackpot, Bertrand Russell, who is often involved in pro-Communist moves to disarm the free world, is also connected with this book. It is unthinkable that American history—with its heroic and sacrificial love for both God and country—will receive an unbiased review from such distorted minds.

UNESCO UNDERTAKES BRAINWASHING

Most informed Americans will remember well the treasonable activities of the *Institute For Pacific Relations*. After hearing testimony which ran into thousands of pages the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee reported in 1952:

"The IPR was a vehicle used by the Communists

to orientate American Far Eastern policies toward Communist objectives. Members of the small core of officials and staff members who controlled the IPR were either Communist or pro-Communist. The American Communist Party and Soviet officials considered the organization an instrument of Communist policy, propaganda and military intelligence."

Yet, when the Institute For Pacific Relations met to consider disbanding, they gave the following as one of the reasons, as reported in the radical left-wing *Washington Post*:

" . . . the work it (the IPR) set out to do is now being duplicated by wealthier and better equipped world organizations such as the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)."

Now go back and re-read that the main purpose of the IPR was to orientate American policies toward Communist objectives. This is what the wealthier UNESCO is now doing in place of the defunct Institute of Pacific Relations.

These unpleasant facts about UNESCO are heightened by its measure of acceptance within our nation. UNESCO booklets are distributed by the National Education Association, and the PTA to students and teachers. UNESCO literature is issued through the YMCA, churches, radio and television outlets, newspapers, magazines, civic groups and through government sources. As insidious as the IPR activities were, UNESCO is even more cunning and firmly entrenched.

UNESCO HELPS CASTRO

It is no secret that Cuban history is being re-written to falsify historical facts. Issue No. 15 of the *WEEKLY CRUSADER* reported this on page 6. "Hate America" propaganda is being placed in the classrooms and is being taught by the teachers. For example, the United States "went into the Spanish-American War, not to help Cuba, but simply for our own selfish ends."

In a report to member states (which every UNESCO nation must make) in Paris, September 1960, Red Cuba said:

"Law 680 was promulgated to lay the foundations of a new, more rational and effective general system of education. UNESCO experts have co-operated in this great task."

Thus, all of the lying, deceiving, hateful propaganda promoted by Castro and his Red regime was co-operated in by the United Nations organization—UNESCO—of which the United States pays almost one-third of the cost.

UNESCO has a tactic which is also employed by the National Council of Churches. It is called "resolutions." The governing body drafts the "resolutions" and in a matter of time they become bona-fide directives. In the UNESCO "Reports of Member States,

1958" we read: "The whole of the information, opinions, and appraisals in the reports reproduced in this volume emanate from Member States, which are alone responsible for them."

MALAYA OBJECTS TO UNESCO

The little Federation of Malaya became an official member of the UNESCO family in June 1958. But it didn't swallow the UNESCO line like other members have. At the end of the Malaya report we read, "There is too much waste of time and the taxpayer's money."

They further objected to the strings which UNESCO attaches to the funds which they dispense. Malaya wrote: "This country would appreciate it very much if UNESCO could offer scholarships for Malayan painters or musicians to study in Europe without requiring the assurance they would be given a job on their return. The condition that we should promise employment prevents this government from sponsoring the most suitable candidates."

The problem, it seems, is that those whom Malaya considered the most capable were not of the political persuasion so necessary for UNESCO aid. Those whom UNESCO had indoctrinated in one-worldism were not the type Malaya felt worthy of jobs when they returned from their "study" abroad.

Under the heading "Exchange of Persons" Malaya made further criticisms of the UNESCO program:

"The University of Malaya was informed of the possibility of taking advantage of 'Study Abroad.' However, it appears that it is not possible at present to take advantage of the project. Perhaps the most popular project would be grants for appreciation of Western and Eastern culture.

"The most serious obstacle to our taking advantage of this scheme is that UNESCO has stipulated the condition that we should undertake to employ these scholars, on their return to this country. Another difficulty is that the amount given to the scholar seems to be insufficient to support a student while abroad."

The small Malayan nation has seen through the UNESCO scheme and rightly surmises that fewer scholarships which pay the full cost of the student would be of more value. But UNESCO, being a political organization, has no interest in education, science or culture in-the-pure.

HOW UNESCO OPERATES

Lillian Moore Roberts, an expert on UNESCO subversion, has listed several *Guideposts* for those who would recognize UNESCO doctrine. Their principal methods are:

"(1) TEACHING BY OMISSION. In all

UNESCO writing and speaking it is *not what they say* that is so destructive, it is *what they do not say*. This method has the enormous advantage of being as good as if they had been permitted openly to advocate the overthrow of our Republic. An example of this teaching by omission is the fact that nowhere in a UNESCO publication or recommended reading will you find America's unique freedoms explained or commended, and nowhere will you find even a mention of the horrors of Russian rule-by-force, Siberian slave labor, mass murders, assignment to work, denial of religion, or any other fact of unpleasant truth . . . (The child) would never realize that he had possessed freedoms which must be protected and sustained, therefore, he would make no objection when these freedoms were denied him. He would be the obedient servant of a controlled society.

"(2) CONCEALMENT BY VOLUME. UNESCO will write thousands of innocent words in order to implant one distorted concept. This method has the enormous advantage of discouraging investigation because the investigator must wade through so much reading in order to unearth the distortions, and of inclining the reader to accept the distortions along with the truth.

"(3) COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS IN UNESCO . . . In an infected organization there need be only a few such persons because they are usually found occupying the positions which wield the greatest influence over that organization. A good part of UNESCO Constitution was written by Archibald MacLeish, a man listed 80 times by the UnAmerican Activities Committee. Mr. MacLeish is at the moment a Member at Large of the U.S. National Commission for UNESCO. One of the organization representatives on this same U.S. Commission is Dr. Harlow Shapley who is reported by the UnAmerican Activities Committee as having a 'long and notorious record, carefully and substantially documented in the Committee's files as speaker, sponsor, officer, donor, participant and signer of Communist petitions, in a number of Communist fronts and causes,' and as having been supported by individual Communists and listed as a supporter of the Soviet Union. In all, seventeen (17) of the members of the U.S. National Commission for UNESCO as listed in the UNESCO Story, May, 1950, are listed by the UnAmerican Activities Committee, these seventeen having a total of approximately seventy-five (75) listings against them . . . When a presumably learned organization purposely selects, out of a nation of 150 million people, Communists or Communist sympathizers for its officers, the only possible reason for it is that they desire to have such persons in these positions of influence.

"(4) ENDORSEMENT OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIONS. If an organization openly advocates any steps which would result in the overthrow

of our existing form of government, this organization is considered subversive. Now one of UNESCO's two major goals is to achieve the objectives of the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights*. The American Bar Association, legislators, scholars, newspapers and laymen have repeatedly warned that if this *Universal Declaration of Human Rights* is ever adopted in any manner by the United States, our own *Bill of Rights* would be either repealed or rendered void, and we would inevitably lose our freedoms as well as our free enterprise system. Thus, overwhelmingly authoritative opinion reveals that the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights* is subversive to an unparalleled degree."

UNESCO DEFINED

Congressman Lawrence H. Smith, of Wisconsin, described the U.N. system and UNESCO which promotes it, as "a permanent international snake pit where Godless Communism is given a daily forum for hate, recrimination, psychological warfare against freedom and unrelenting moral aggression against peace."

European writers call UNESCO the "Crackpot Carnival." But the best definition of all comes from a California member of the American Legion. He said, "UNESCO is the United Nations Espionage, Sabotage and Corruptive organization."

The above descriptions may well be very accurate judging from this statement by James Marshall, a member of the original National Commission for UNESCO. Mr. Marshall said:

"Fellow-delegates, as we examine this question, I hope we can join together in trying to decide what will be best for UNESCO. I may say for the delegation of the United States and for the National Commission in the United States, of which Milton Eisenhower is chairman, that the constant effort of each individual is to discover and to determine what is best for UNESCO. The question we ask ourselves is never 'What is best for the United States?' but, 'What is best for UNESCO?' It is the judgment of the United States Government, of the National Commission and of the delegation here that what is best for UNESCO, will, in the long run, be best for the United States, even if seemingly against short term interest. . . . I will testify personally to this Conference that . . . I have only once, in the case of one individual, heard the issue injected into the discussions on UNESCO of 'What is best for the United States?'"

There we have the admission from UNESCO delegates themselves that they have no interest whatever in the sovereignty of the United States and are concerned rather with what is best for the world-government-serving UNESCO. We, my friends, are chumps — paying one-third of the budget for this monstrosity that is determined to destroy the freest government in the world!

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR FBI

DATE: 5/22/62

FROM : SAC OKLAHOMA CITY 94-234

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
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ReBulet 4/17/62.

The Oklahoma City Division has received no information indicating the captioned organization is engaging in anti-semitic, anti-catholic or other hate-type activities. In the event such info is received by the Oklahoma City Division, this info will be furnished to the Bureau in letterhead memorandum form suitable for dissemination.

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Dear Mr. White:

Your letter of July 2, 1962, was received as Mr. Hoover was leaving the city, and he asked me to advise you that it will not be possible for him to grant permission to reprint his article, "Why Reds Make Friends With Businessmen," in your publication.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

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NOTE: Christian Crusade is an organization founded and directed by Billy Hargis. Hargis is a well-known to the Bureau as a "hillbilly" type evangelist and an extremist in the fight against communism. In 1951, he was the subject of a Registration Act investigation following his contacts with the Dominican Republic; prosecution was declined on the basis of insufficient evidence to establish that he was an agent for the Dominican Republic.

L. E. White, Editor of Christian Crusade, was interviewed by the Bureau in 1958 in connection with Hargis' contacts with the Dominican Republic. Bufiles also reflect that L. E. White, Jr., was charged with

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We would like your permission to reprint your article entitled "Why Reds Make Friends with Businessmen" in our monthly magazine. We read this article in the May '62 issue of Nation's Business and also in the May 24 edition of the Tulsa Tribune.

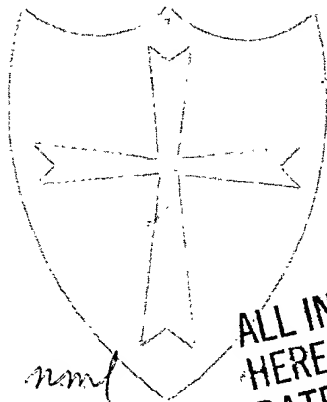
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Sincerely,

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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of July 23, 1962, with enclosure, has been received.

Although I would like to be of service, the FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and neither makes evaluations nor draws conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. In this connection, information contained in our files is maintained as confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice. I regret I am unable to help you and hope you will not infer either that we do or do not have data in our files relating to your inquiry.

Enclosed is some material dealing with the general subject of communism which I hope will be of interest to you, together with the pamphlet you sent. Included in this data is a list of organizations cited by the Department of Justice pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

You may also be interested in securing a copy of "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications," prepared and released by the House Committee on Un-American Activities, in which are listed groups and periodicals which have been cited by various state and Federal agencies. A copy of it can be purchased for seventy cents from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C.

Sincerely yours,

L. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Correspondent's enclosure

List of Organizations Designated Under Executive Order No. 10450

Do You Really Understand Communism?

Statement on Communism (NBC, July 15, 1962)

Let's Fight Communism Sanely!

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. Her enclosure was a pamphlet about the Christian Crusade and Dr. Billy James Hargis.

July 23, 1962

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Enclosed please find a leaflet which was passed on to me. On reading said leaflet, the Christian Crusade seems to be worthwhile organization.

My question is, if I join the Christian Crusade, will my contribution be used to fight communism, or will I be a dupe for the communists. There are so many communist front organizations, that well-meaning Americans have to be very careful of what we join now.

Recently I have been acquiring anti-communist tapes from our local Chamber of Commerce and playing them to an audience of about twenty interested persons. In doing this I am in a position to encourage a few people to join the Christian Crusade if it is what it claims to be.

Please advise me on this, and if you happen to have a list of communist front organizations that we should avoid, I would appreciate it if you would pass it along to me.

I am fairly new in this fight against communism and did not know who else to turn to.

Awaiting your reply, I remain

Respectfully yours,

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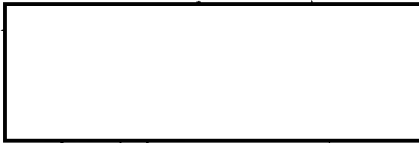
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Your letter of July 23, 1962, has been received, and your kind remark concerning the work of this Bureau is indeed appreciated.

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I would like to point out that Matthew Cvetic, who passed away on July 26, 1962, assisted this Bureau by furnishing information on subversive activities from February, 1943, to January, 1950, and during that time was compensated. He was not, however, a Special Agent of the FBI. With reference to the addresses Mr. Cvetic has made, and the books he wrote, these were personal ventures of his own and the FBI is not, in any way, in a position to comment relative to his statements.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record identifiable with correspondent. She is not being sent any reprints in view of her admitted connection with the Billy James Hargis' group. Matthew Cvetic died of a heart attack on 7-26-62 in California.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover,
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Dear Mr. Hoover -

First, may I congratulate you on the splendid work
you and your staff are doing for America -

○ Sometime ago, I received some literature from the
"Christian Crusade" Tulsa, Oklahoma to which I sent a small donation.
Since then, have heard reports both favorable and unfavorable of this
organization.

Their magazine comes to me regularly and one of the
writers is a man by the name of Matt Cvetic, who claims to have at one
time been an active member of your organization; for a period of nine
years.

My reason for writing you is I would like, from time to
time, to send a small donation to Mr. Billy James Hargis, originator
of "Christian Crusade" if I know positively this is a legitimate orgination
and not one of the Communist so-called "Good will Fronts."

Would you please advise me on this? Thank you.

Sincerely

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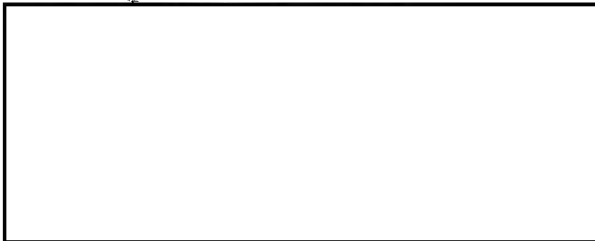
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Dear Mrs. Sheldrup:

Your letter postmarked September 12, 1962, has been received.

It is always encouraging to hear from citizens who demonstrate a desire to prepare themselves and others to meet the atheistic challenge to our freedoms presented by communism. A broad knowledge of the objectives and operations of the communist movement is essential if the American people are to effectively resist its eroding influence.

Too many self-styled experts on communism, without valid credentials and without any access whatsoever to classified factual data regarding the inner workings of this conspiracy, have engaged in rumormongering and hurling false and wholly unsubstantiated allegations against people whose views differ from their own. This is dangerous business. Such activity makes more difficult the task of the professional investigator.

I am enclosing some material which I hope will be of interest to you. You may wish to read my book, "Masters of Deceit," published by Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc., 383 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York. It is the story of communism and how to fight it and probably is available to you through your local libraries or bookstores. I have also written a new book entitled "A Study of Communism," which will be released on October 1st by Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc., and it is a comprehensive study of the development and expansion of communism throughout the world.

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John Edgar Hoover
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Mrs. Ralph Sheldrup

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Internal Security Statement, 4-17-62

Statement on Communism, 7-15-62

Guidelines for a Civilization in Peril

The Communist Menace: Red Goals and Christian Ideals

One Nation's Response to Communism

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable.

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Mrs Ralph Sheldrup
10202 Rainier Ave So
Seattle 88 - Wn

Christian Crusade

F. B. I.
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr Hoover -

I'am american housewife with three children & four grand-children. My cup of happiness is full & over flowing in my personal life -

OKla
I just finished reading "Communist America --- Must it be" by Billy James Hargis, And if I might borrow a teen-age expression - "it really shook me!" Is it true -- surely much of it must be false? I am sure you have read the book -- you have it in your files - quoting from page 21 which reads - "If the American citizen doubts that his beloved country is in moral danger, that his wife & children are on the verge of the embrace of Communist rape & enslavement let him look anywhere about him - Let him look at what is happening in his own church denomination - (unquote)

I'am a Methodist - I love my God and my Christ - I cannot see communism in my church -- Is it there hidden in the organization of it all? I teach Sunday School If it is true that communism is filtering into its perodical and disguised in its government; I must know -- if so I can no longer teach there.

(quote in our school system) I have been twice a parent teacher president - I have seen much Atheism in our schools that is true, but surely the main core of our educational system is American!

(quote pg 21) let him look at his newspapers --- unquote)
I take the morning Post Intilligencer I read it daily -- can't a person believe what they read anymore?

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Surely Americans should know the truth about their country - The F.B.I. is our one hope - Cant you give us a brochure of truths about communism within our country - so we can fight it and know what we are doing - Please! I love my God & my country--I think I can truthfully say with Patrick Henry - Give me liberty or give me death -

Sincerely

/s/

Mrs Ralph Sheldrup.

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10202 Rainier Ave So
Seattle 88 - Wn.



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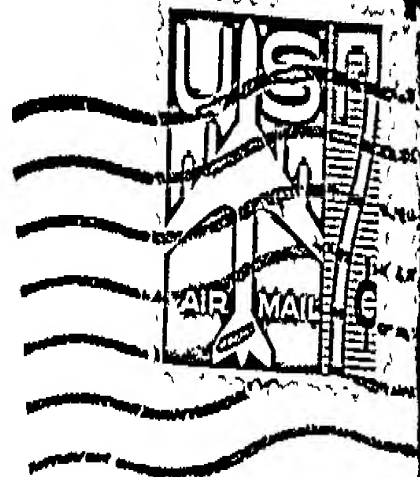
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I am a Methodist - I love my God

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Mrs R. Sheldrup
10202 Rainier Ave So
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Mr Hoover



F. B. I.

United States Department of
Justice Building

Washington - D. C. (25)

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October 31, 1962

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Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter of October 25th has been received.

With respect to your inquiry concerning Billy James Hargis, the FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and neither makes evaluations nor draws conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. Further, information contained in our files must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice. In view of the foregoing, I am unable to comment in the manner you suggested.

Enclosed is some material on the general topic of communism which I hope will be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosures (4) An Army of Free Men
Let's Fight Communism Sanely!
An American's Challenge
Statement on Communism

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F.B.I.
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Billy James Hargis, a gospel minister, and director of CHRISTIAN CRUSADE, alleged to be a movement to warn Americans of Liberal and Communistic erosion that corrupt the foundations of our country, has this past year, received a bit of adverse treatment in the nations press and magazine publications. He has principally been accused of being a flamboyant crusader who is carrying out a program that is not in the best interest toward the unity of our country, and most of all, in the process, is amassing for himself a "personal fortune" in contributions to this ministry.

I have been a contributor to CHRISTIAN CRUSADE for almost two years. I approve of his Christian ministry, and that of warning the Nation of that force which is threatening to dilute our liberties and way of life. In my opinion, I believe that our people, as a whole, live in a state of apathy - morally and spiritually, and need a "shaking up".

I have met with people who know of Mr. Hargis's ministry through the adverse press and magazine articles about him. They believe the writings. Though Dr. Hargis may not be "perfect" in all aspects of his methods and associations with individuals, I seem to believe that he is performing this ministry in the interest of our Country. Therefore, in order that I may form a more concrete opinion of this movement and the person, I would appreciate if your office would favor me with a brief F.B.I. rundown as to his faithfulness. In other words - is he a man who has the National interest at heart, or is he one who is out for the National interest PLUS his own personal gain?

A word from you will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you kindly,

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Dear [redacted]

Your letter postmarked January 26, 1963, with enclosure, has been received.

Although I would like to be of service, the files of the FBI are confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice and are available for official use only. You may be interested in knowing that Reverend Billy James Hargis definitely does not have access to the files of the FBI. I regret I cannot be of more assistance instance and hope that you do not infer that we do or do not have information in our files relating to the subject of your inquiry.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
DirectorAPPROPRIATE AGENCIES
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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. Billy James Hargis is a nondenominational minister and has been described as a "hillbilly-type evangelist." In late 1957 he was the subject of a Registration Act investigation following his contacts with the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and a visit to that country. The Department in April, 1958, however, advised that there was insufficient evidence to establish that he was an agent of the Dominican Republic. Enclosure pertained to files recently moved to the Christian Crusade organization of Reverend Hargis. For purpose of this DTP film (3) reply, reference to Director's appearance on "marathons" is being ignored.

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Dirr. J. Edgar Hoover
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Dear Sir--

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1- Does he have access to the FBI - House of
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to guard our Nation?

2- Does he have in his offices books as described
in my enclosure?

3- Did you appear either Live or by Tape a few
years ago? on ~~frat~~ ~~hons~~

4- Did Matt Cevetti, Counter Spy furnish him
news he learned Spying with the Communists?

Please answer in full--I believe him--many don't.

I want this as proof

Address--

[Redacted Address Box]

Many Thanks

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Many Thanks
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GREAT NEWS FOR HOSPITALIZATION



**PAYS \$100 WEEKLY from FIRST DAY to
NO WAITING PERIODS! NO MEDICAL EXAM!**

To the one American in four who does not drink, we are pleased and proud to offer the Gold Star Total Abstainers Hospitalization Policy, which will pay you \$100 a week in cash, from your first day in the hospital, and will continue paying as long as you are there, even for life!

If you do not drink and are carrying ordinary hospitalization insurance, you are of course helping to pay for the accidents and hospital bills of those who do drink. Alcoholism is now our nation's No. 3 health problem, ranking immediately behind heart disease and cancer! Those who drink have reduced resistance to infection and are naturally sick more often and sick longer than those who do not drink. Yet their insurance — UNTIL NOW — cost the same as yours. NOW with the Gold Star Plan, your rates are based on the SUPERIOR HEALTH RECORDS of Non-Drinkers! Why should you help pay for the hospitalization of those who ruin their health by drink? Gold Star rewards you instead of penalizing you for not drinking!

Now, for the first time, you can get the newest and most modern type of hospitalization coverage at an unbelievably low rate because the Gold Star Policy is offered only to non-drinkers. With this policy, you receive \$100 a week in cash, from the first day and as long as you remain in the hospital! This money is paid to you in cash to be used for rent, food, hospital or doctor bills — anything you wish. Your policy cannot be cancelled by the company no matter how long you remain in the hospital or how often you are

sick. And the present low rate on your policy can never be raised simply because you get old, or have too many claims, but only in the event of a general rate adjustment up or down for all policyholders!

One out of every seven people will spend some time in the hospital this year. Every day over 43,000 people enter the hospital — 32,000 of these for the first time! No one knows whose turn will be next, whether yours or mine. But we do know that a fall on the stairs in your home, or on the sidewalk, or some sudden illness, or operation could put you in the hospital for weeks or months, and could cost thousands of dollars.

How would you pay for a long siege in the hospital with costly doctor bills, and expensive drugs and medicines? Many folks lose their car, savings, even their home, and are sunk hopelessly in debt for the rest of their lives. We surely hope this won't happen to you, but please don't gamble! Remember, once the doctor tells you it is *your* turn to enter the hospital, it's too late to buy coverage at any price.

The Gold Star Plan Makes It Easy!

With a Gold Star Total Abstainers Hospitalization Policy, you would receive \$100 per week in cash, as long as you remain in the hospital. If your hospital stay is less than one week, you still collect at the rate of \$14.29 per day. Even if you are already covered by another policy, the Gold Star Plan will supplement that coverage, and will pay you directly in addition to your present policy.

This wonderful, generous protection costs only \$4 a month for each adult, age 19 through 64, or \$40 for twelve full months. For each child under 19, the rate is just \$3 for a month's protection. And for each adult of age 65 through 100, the premium is only \$6 a month.

And, remember, with Gold Star, the NO-LIMIT Hospital Plan, there is no limit on how long you can stay in the hospital, *no limit* on the number of times you can collect (and the Company can never cancel your policy), and no limit on age!

Christian Leaders Say —



DR. PAUL S. JAMES, long-time Pastor, Baptist Temple, Atlanta, Ga. now Pastor Manhattan Baptist Church, New York City: "This hospitalization policy for non-drinkers appears to me to be excellent and I know of no other Company which makes such provisions for one's time of need. I am happy to give my personal endorsement to this program."



DR. J. PALMER MUNTZ, Long-time President, Winona Lake Bible Conference: "For years I have been hoping that someone would provide accident and hospitalization insurance at the lower rates warranted by non-drinkers. I am glad that such a plan has finally been developed by my very good personal friend, Arthur DeMoss, who is known the country over as a man of integrity and sterling Christian character."



DR. WALTER L. WILSON, greatly-used conference speaker: "The program which has been initiated by my beloved friend, Arthur DeMoss, is a splendid one. He is a man of vision and integrity, and has undertaken a service which should prove to be a real blessing to large numbers of people. I am sure that the blessing of the Lord will be upon this effort, and I shall feel free to happily recommend it."



REV. VINCENT CERVERA, Widely used Evangelist: I am amazed that you company can offer such a policy for hospitalization with so much benefit at so small a premium. It is made understandable when one considers the fact the policy is sold only to non-drinkers. The plan stands head and shoulders above any Hospitalization Policy being sold today. I am delighted to give my endorsement to this Gold Star Plan. This is without a doubt the best."

Money-Back Guarantee

We'll mail your policy to your home. No salesman will call. In the privacy of your own home, read the policy over. Examine it carefully. Have it checked by your lawyer, your doctor, your Christian friends or some trusted advisor. Make sure it provides *exactly* what we've told you it does. Then, if for any reason whatsoever you are not fully satisfied, just mail your policy back within ten days, and we'll cheerfully refund your entire premium by return mail, with no questions asked. So, you see, you have *everything* to gain and nothing to lose!

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World Mutual has been operating since 1920, and has on unimpeachable record of honesty, service, and integrity. By special arrangements with DeMoss Associates, World Mutual has underwritten this Gold Star Total Abstainers Hospitalization Policy.

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Christian Crusade Secures Famous Anti-Communist Files from Washington, D. C.

Christian Crusade has acquired perhaps the largest and most extensive private anti-communist files in America today, the Allen A. Zoll Files. These files were started in 1919 after the communist take-over in Russia, and catalogue communist activities inside the U.S.A. from that day until now. The names of thousands of clergymen and educators who have chosen to affiliate with communist front organizations over the years, are included in these priceless files.

In addition to the cross-indexed files on subversive groups and individuals, there are over 5,000 books in the collection, including all the Lenin, Stalin works and complete files of all Congressional hearings into communism from the Hamilton Fish days until now. The very valuable Appendix Nine of the House Un-American Activities Committee, plus complete Martin Dies and McCarthy hearings are included.

Valued at over \$50,000, these files and the library have now been moved from the offices of the National Council for American Education in Washington, D. C. to our offices, to be incorporated with our own extensive files. The Research Department is under the head of Mr. Julian Williams, and the Intelligence Department is headed by a former assistant to General Johnathan Wainwright and General C. A. Willoughby, Mr. Maynard Lee.

Although we cannot now offer individual service to our Crusaders, plans are being made to make available our files for information on communist activities to responsible organizations and individuals in the future.

Within recent days, our files were used by a Legislative Committee of one of the states in determining action against a known communist in a high place in their state.

We are certain that all Crusaders everywhere will want to share in the moving costs necessary to transport these files from our nation's capital to Tulsa. The entire moving cost (just completed) was \$2,400. A letter of support from you to help with this project would be appreciated. Address your letter to File Fund, Christian Crusade, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma.

These files will enable Christian Crusade to authenticate its message and substantiate its charges with facts, some of which have not been available to us in times past. To say that the Zoll Files and Library will increase the effectiveness of this Crusade, is a fact.



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Kenneth Swanson, top, examines additions to Crusade library; center, Maynard Lee refers to new research materials; below, Harry Clarke, Howard Tribble catalog new volumes—all included in recently acquired Research Files.

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Date: 1/31/63

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-424820)

FROM: SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (100-6546)

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
National Anti-Communist School
Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 11-15, 1963

For the information of the Bureau, The Christian Crusade, an organization founded by and presently directed by Evangelist BILLY JAMES HARGIS, Tulsa, Oklahoma, will hold an Anti-Communist Leadership School at the Trade Winds Motel in Tulsa from February 11, 1963 to February 15, 1963. Twelve speakers have been assigned as the faculty for the school.

KARL PRUSSION, who is referred to as a Communist Agent for 14 years in the United States, and later an FBI "counterspy" for 12 years, will be one of the speakers.

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Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter of February 28, 1963, has been received.

Although I would like to be of assistance to you, this Bureau's files are maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice and are available for official use only. In this connection, please do not infer either that we do or do not have information in our files relating to the subject of your inquiry.

Enclosed are several publications concerning this Bureau which I trust will be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Fingerprint Identification

Know Your FBI

Cooperation -- The Backbone of Effective Law Enforcement

What It's Like To Be An FBI Agent

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Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am a senior in high school. I am writing to you for any information you may have on "The Christian Crusade." I need this information for a report I am making on this subject in Civics.

I would sincerely appreciate any help you can give to me. Thank you for your trouble.

Sincerely yours,
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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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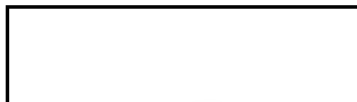
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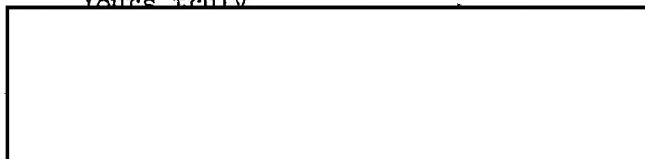
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Dear Mr. Hoover;

While living in Tulsa I have observed to some extent
an organization called, Christian Crusade, Billy James Hargis
founder. If it is possible would you please send me any
information available on this organization?

Thank you.

Yours truly



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Dear [redacted]

Your letter of March 27, 1963, with enclosures, has been received, and I want you to know how much I appreciate your kind comments regarding our work.

For your information, the FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and, as such, does not make evaluations nor draw conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. In view of this, I am sure you will understand why I cannot comment on the material you enclosed or on the individuals you listed.

Since this information might be of interest to another government agency, I am forwarding a copy of your letter and enclosures to The Honorable, The Secretary of Defense, Washington 25, D. C., for whatever assistance he might be able to render.

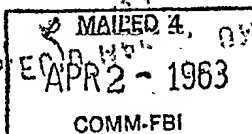
Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles and there is no derogatory information in Bufiles regarding the Southern States Industrial Council. A copy of her letter and her original enclosures are being forwarded to the Secretary of Defense.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Because of my utmost admiration and respect for the integrity and efficiency of you and your organization, I am writing to find out the credibility of the enclosed articles published by the Southern States Industrial Council, 1103-1111 Stahlman Building, Nashville 3, Tennessee. These are thermo-fax copies of the two inside pages of their bulletin of March 15, 1963, which is published semi-monthly. I am also interested in knowing if the publisher of this material is a reliable source of information.

In addition, I would also appreciate a report on the loyalty and integrity of the following named men: 15

General Edwin A. Walker
1011 Turtle Creek Blvd.
Dallas, Texas

Billy James Hargis
Christian Crusade
Tulsa 2, Oklahoma

These two men held a public meeting in our City Auditorium earlier this month. I had another engagement and was unable to attend the meeting, but my parents and sister did go and hear Messrs. Walker and Hargis. My family was quite disturbed by what was said. Some of the statements made seemed to be along the same line as that of the enclosed articles from the Southern States Industrial Council.

As a loyal citizen of this country, I am concerned in learning the truth about these matters and will appreciate hearing from you.

Gratefully yours,

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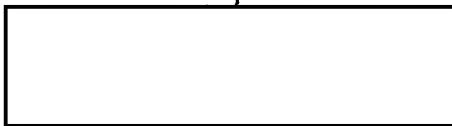
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Dear

I have received your letter of June 10th, with enclosure, ~~and I want to thank you for your kind letter~~ It was indeed thoughtful of you to bring this material to my attention.

~~It was indeed thoughtful of you to bring this material to my attention~~ Thank you for your kind prayer.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. His enclosure was a circular of Billy James Hargis' Christian Crusade reflecting a report that Victor and Walter Reuther had prompted the President to reprimand Director Hoover for exaggerating the communist menace.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I received a latter of which I am sending you a copy. I have marked some things in red, as you will probably not want to read all of it.

I am very much disturbed because of some of the reports I receive from Washington D.C. I do thank God for you, and I pray that God will protect you and your office and lead you on.

Sincerely,

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~~Mr. Ominous Threat From~~ ~~Walter Reuther To Anti-Reds~~

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Dear Christian Crusader:

I have great news for all our friends this month. God has been very good to us. Our friends have been very thoughtful and considerate. Thank God we can make the two announcements that are contained in this letter. However, let me save the best for last.

There are two new books on my desk, both of which contain sober warnings that concern every Christian Crusader in America. Words fail to describe the feeling in my heart as I contemplate the true significance of these publications. One is a book written by a great American, former Congressman Martin Dies, called "The Martin Dies' Story". The other book is written by two well-known "liberals", Donald Janson of the New York Times, and Bernard Eismann of the CBS Television Network, called "The Far Right".

A SOBERING THREAT FROM THE FAR LEFT

Here at Christian Crusade we have grown accustomed to reading books and booklets that are written to smear and discredit Christian Crusade and me personally. In fact, I have some twelve books in my library, all published within the last year, which attack Christian Crusade. They have one thing in common - most of their criticisms are based on half-truths and left-wing prejudices, and their attacks are designed to attempt to destroy the effectiveness of Christian Crusade by killing its financial support. Each of these books tell the same story. They say that I am in this business of fighting communism for money - that I am a wealthy man - that only ignorant people are anti-communist or conservative, and support such causes as Christian Crusade. Unfortunately, Christian Crusade struggles for existence twelve months a year. We have operated at a deficit for sixteen years, pleading and begging for every cent which we collected in order to buy radio time and printing to fight our relentless enemy, godless communism. Were movements like Christian Crusade not successful in our opposition to our powerful enemies, powerfully rich publishing houses would not devote so much valuable space to attacking us, but thank God we have survived the attacks. In a twelve-month period with twelve such books available on most newsstands and in every book store in the country, attempting to smear us, the work has continued to grow and survive, for which we do humbly and eternally thank God, through our Lord Jesus Christ.

THE THREAT OF WALTER AND VICTOR REUTHER

The thing that bothers me most about this new book, "The Far Right", is the six pages the authors devote to the ominous threats of Walter and Victor Reuther against Christian conservatives. Many of us have long felt that Walter Reuther poses a far greater threat to American security than Jimmy Hoffa or any other union dictator. We still have copies of the letter that Walter and Victor Reuther wrote to their friends in Detroit while they were still working in the Soviet Union demanding a "Soviet America", which appeared in the Congressional Record. Also, we remember the words of John L. Lewis concerning Walter Reuther commenting that this man was a "Marxist".

But, we were not aware here at Christian Crusade of the threat Walter and Victor Reuther made on the anti-communists of America at the behest of the Attorney General until we read this book, "The Far Right". The story, according to the book, is as follows: In the Fall of 1961, Walter Reuther, President of the United Auto Workers' Union and Vice-President of the AFL-CIO, was asked by Attorney General Robert Kennedy to write a memorandum on what should be done with the conservatives and anti-communists of the United States. The memorandum was written by Victor Reuther primarily but submitted in the name of both Reuther boys to Bobby Kennedy. The authors of this book refer to it as a "24-page blueprint for action against the Extremists". The memo was submitted on December 19, 1961. The book says that the memorandum was given to all of the members of Kennedy's staff and cabinet, also to leading Senators and Congressmen in Washington, D. C., friendly to the Kennedy Administration.

I will be glad to send you a copy.

ve immediate steps: 1. That servicemen in our Armed communist organizations such as Christian Crusade, should and be referred to it as a "special problem requiring immediate and measure". If the Reuther plan becomes indeed the blueprint of action of the Kennedy Administration against the "right", then there will be further censorship of the military and continued public humiliations of great military leaders such as General Edwin Walker, General Douglas MacArthur, General James Van Fleet and others. In fact, the report specifically criticized General Van Fleet calling him an associate of extreme right-wing activities, and relentlessly trounced Van Fleet because he had blamed the U.N. Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson for the U.S. failure to provide air support in the Cuban invasion.

2. The Reuther brothers then suggest that the Attorney General of the United States do away with his annual "subversive list" because the right-wing uses this to their advantage. The report suggests that "the radical right poses a far greater danger to the success of this country in its battle against international communism than does the domestic communist movement". We should not be surprised that the two men who wrote the famous "Carry on the Fight for a Soviet America" letter would suggest such a suicidal thought. It is apparent that the Reuthers do not recognize an internal threat from communism, so therefore, they contend the Attorney General should quit giving ammunition to the anti-communist movements by publishing his annual subversive list listing "communist front" organizations operating today in the U.S.A.

3. Then the Reuther brothers suggest a Gestapo-type action against the Christian conservative forces. The memo said: "As funds are a source of power to the Radical Right, action to dam up these funds may be the quickest way to turn the tide now running in their favor." He admits that public opinion favors the anti-communist position, so therefore, an effort must be made to shut up the anti-communist spokesmen so that they will not continue to influence public opinion. Their further suggestion under point three, is reminiscent of the Hitler days in Germany. The Reuthers suggest that anybody who contributes to an anti-communist cause should be made a public example -- their names should be published, their annual tax reports should be examined by the Internal Revenue Service, and that any radio or television station that carries an anti-communist program should be "checked" by the government with a possibility of their losing their rights to operate, for action incompatible with the Liberal Establishment. (Thank God, the liberals do not, at this time, have the power to put this into action. In the great American tradition, the people will rebel against such "dictatorial" actions. Threats like this will only inspire the true Americans to give more and do more.) Of course, there is no suggestion that the communists, pro-communists and liberals who contribute to far-left causes be made public examples. Their income tax forms are not to be checked and leftist foundations are to go unbothered. The book carefully points out, in discussing point three, that the Internal Revenue Service has already started obeying this demand of the Reuthers. They are reviewing all organizations apparently that are anti-communist.

4. The memorandum then suggests that the Kennedy Administration should take steps to abolish some of the anti-communist organizations such as the "Minute-Men". There is no suggestion that the Communist Party be abolished, but instead, that organizations on the right should be abolished. In other words, there are to be no civil liberties for the anti-communists or conservatives - only for the left-wingers.

5. The memorandum further suggests that J. Edgar Hoover, head of the F.B.I., be reprimanded because of "exaggeration" concerning the internal communist menace. Furthermore, it states that it is up to the Kennedy Administration to assure the American people that there is no threat from communism internally, thus "exposing the basic fallacy of the radical right."

The report concludes by calling upon the Kennedy Administration for "deliberate policies and programs to contain the radical right from further expansion." There it is in a nutshell. The liberals are not playing any longer. They intend to stop the anti-communist movements of America and they will attempt this without regard to civil liberties or civil rights.

A CHALLENGE TO RENEWED PATRIOTISM

This ominous threat from the Reuther brothers directed to the President of the United States at the request of the Attorney General of the United States, Bobby Kennedy, should make every Christian patriot shudder tonight. Are we on the verge of being taken over by a liberal dictatorship that will not condone or permit criticism or thinking contrary to the Liberal Establishment? I think these quotes from this book point out to every Christian Crusader the necessity of our stepping up our activities against liberalism and/or socialism and communism.

"THE MARTIN DIES STORY" - A REVELATION

The second book on my desk is written by former Congressman Martin Dies called "The Martin Dies Story". Martin Dies is a personal friend of mine. He is the originator of the famous House Committee on Un-American Activities. For seven years he headed the famed Dies Committee investigating Nazism and Communism in the United States. He is now retired from politics and practicing law in Lufkin, Texas.

This great American has written a book that exposes the whole internal communist threat from the 1930's until today. No book will be published this year or in this decade more important than this book. In thrilling chapter after chapter, Martin Dies points out that we are losing. He concludes his book by saying the "Communists are still here. The question is: What are the American people going to do about it?" And then he quotes the Scripture in Galatians 4:16: "Am I therefore become your enemy because I tell you the truth."

One of the greatest things you can do now in this fight for freedom is to distribute this Martin Dies book by the dozens. This book is not a book of philosophy or opinions, but a book of facts and charges that indicts the present Liberal Administration and those that preceded it for the last thirty-five years. The book sells for \$5.00 and is published by the BookMailer in New York City. We have several dozen copies ready for mailing. Write Christian Crusade, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma, for your copy of the "Martin Dies Story." It is imperative that you read it immediately and get these facts out to others. Send \$5.00 in cash, check or money order for each copy of the book you desire, to our Tulsa office.

NOW, THE ENCOURAGING NEWS

Early in this letter I told you that I had great news for our Christian Crusade friends around the nation, and indeed I have. I am happy to inform you that General Edwin Walker and I have commenced a second speaking tour which will take us into Utah, Oregon, Washington, Minnesota, Tennessee, Arkansas, and Louisiana during the remainder of this month. We are calling this second tour "OPERATION: ALERT". General Walker is discussing "The Choice Before Us - U.S. or U.N.?" My subject is "The Increasing War Against God."

Our first tour during the month of March was a great success. We conducted twenty-nine rallies in nineteen states, traveling over 10,000 miles, speaking face to face to thousands of patriots. Now we have begun this second tour. Again, we need your help. Tell others about the Rallies. Write your friends who live in the areas where we are lecturing and ask them to attend, and if you live in one of these areas, attend yourself, and get many others to come with you. And, Christian friend, wherever you live in the United States, pray for OPERATION: ALERT.

The second big story which we have to tell our friends is that Christian Crusade will definitely conduct four two-week seminars at the Summit Hotel, Manitou Springs, Colorado, starting June 2. Mrs. Hargis and I have decided to cancel our summer plans and spend the entire two months at The Summit teaching and directing each Seminar. Sessions will be held June 2 - 14, June 16 - 28, June 30 - July 12, July 14 - 26. Great Americans such as Dr. R. P. Oliver, Edward Hunter, Julian Williams, Layman Cameron, and others will compose our faculty for these four two-week Anti-Communist Leadership Schools.

We hope to give 500 free scholarships to deserving young people who could not otherwise attend. Room, board, and tuition for the entire two weeks is only \$100. We are asking every friend to help to the best of their ability. We have hundreds of requests for information concerning the seminars, and there is no doubt in my mind but that we can have capacity attendance at The Summit during the entire summer month schedule.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

There are several ways that each Christian Crusader can help this month. (1) Buy a scholarship for a deserving young person to attend the Anti-communist Leadership Training Course at The Summit, Manitou Springs, Colorado. If you cannot afford to give a full \$100 scholarship, make a gift in any amount toward a scholarship for a deserving young person who could not otherwise attend. Adults interested in training for leadership in this fight for God and country are also

invited to participate in the _____ars.

② Order from Christian Crusade, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma, your copy of Martin Dies' new book, "The Martin Dies Story" today. We will ship them to you postage-paid at \$5.00 a copy (price set by the New York publisher).

③ Make a contribution to the work of Christian Crusade. You will receive your new thirty-six page Christian Crusade May magazine in a few days. This is only one giant step forward. Christian Crusade is moving ahead. The liberals are getting bolder and are determined to destroy effective movements such as this. Only with your prayers and support can we move forward.

FACTS WE MUST FACE

We must be more active for God and Country too!

During the month of March while we were away on the first tour with General Walker, our mail income fell \$12,000 over the previous month and we fell \$35,000 below our required budget for the month. We are trying to make up that deficit now. We need gifts from every Christian Crusader in any size. Gifts of \$1,000, \$500, \$100, \$75, \$50, \$25 and \$10 are desperately needed. An avalanche of smaller gifts of \$5, \$4, \$3, \$2, and \$1 will be appreciated and are greatly needed right now.

Christian Crusade has reprinted the hearings of the "Louisiana State Committee on Un-American Activities" into the Satanic and devious activities of the "Nation of Islam" or the "Black Muslim cult". This report, the first of its kind ever to be issued by a National or State Government source delving into the terrifying activities of the Black Muslims is available to everyone who sends a contribution in response to this letter. When sending your gift to Christian Crusade, request your copy of the hearings into the Black Muslim Movement.

Please get your letter in the mail. Let us hear from you within the next few days. Write Christian Crusade, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma, and don't forget to pray for us. Your prayers mean more than you will ever know to us now. As you know, an attempt was made to assassinate General Walker after our first tour. We look to God for our safety on this tour and for the financial help here at home to continue our anti-communist Christian endeavor. Will you send your gift of support today? Will you pray for us? God bless you. I know you will, and I am,

Yours for God and our children,

Billy James Hargis

Billy James Hargis

BILLY JAMES HARGIS

CHRISTIAN CRUSADE

TULSA 2, OKLAHOMA

I received your May letter. I am enclosing a contribution for the work of Christian Crusade in the amount of \$_____.

() Do () Do not send me a copy of the "Louisiana Committee on Un-American Activities" hearings into the Black Muslim Movement.

I enclose \$_____ for _____ copies of Martin Dies new book at \$5.00 each.

I enclose \$_____ to be used for a scholarship for a deserving young person to attend one of the two-week seminars at Christian Crusade's Summit, Manitou Springs, Colorado this summer.

() Do () Do not send me additional information on the School.

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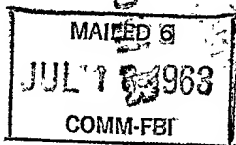
Your letter of July 6, 1963, has been received.

For your information, "The Daily Worker" ceased publication some time ago; however, similar data appears in the form of "The Worker" which is published twice a week. Copies may be available in your local public library or a nearby college where this newspaper is maintained for research purposes.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am the head of a anti-communist study group
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Several members of my group would like to see
some of the slander put out by the communist in "The Daily
Worker." What way may we obtain one and not get intangled
with the communists.

Your for God, Country,
and our children

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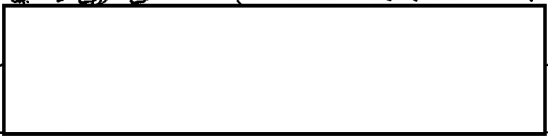
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Yours for God, Country,
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-424820)

DATE: 7/15/63

FROM : SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (100-6546)

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
INFORMATION CONCERNING

For information of the Bureau the annual convention of the Christian Crusade, an organization founded by and presently directed by Evangelist BILLY JAMES HARGIS, Tulsa, Oklahoma, will be held in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on 8/2-4/63.

ROBERT WELCH, founder and director of the John Birch Society, is scheduled to be one of the speakers at the convention.

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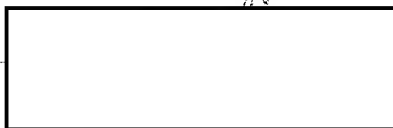
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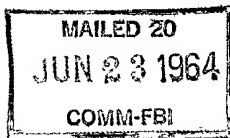
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Dear 

Your letter of June 18th, with enclosure, has been received, and I want to thank you for your kind comments concerning my efforts as Director of the FBI. It is my hope the future endeavors of this Bureau will continue to merit your support and approval.

While I would like to be of assistance, information contained in the files of the FBI must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice and is available for official use only. In view of the foregoing, I trust you will understand why I cannot comment as you requested.

Sincerely yours,



J. Edgar Hoover
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NOTE: Billy James Hargis is the founder of the Christian Crusade. Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. The enclosure to correspondent's letter was a stamped, self-addressed envelope which is being utilized in reply.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Attention Mr. Hoover,

Dear Mr. Hoover,

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It has been my opportunity to know the Rev. Billy James Hargis of Tulsa, Oklahoma in his Christian Crusade endeavors. He is planning an anti-Communist school at Manitou Springs, Colorado, and I have a very good opportunity of receiving a scholarship to this school. I would like to learn more about fighting communism and how it works; therefore I write you for a fair and reasonable estimate about Rev. Hargis? Do you think this school is worthwhile and also do you think the Christian Crusade is an organization which would be beneficial for me to be in contact with?

I am confident that you will answer my questions, which are not intended to be sceptical but just a reasonable estimate of this field. I would appreciate a personal answer from you about the preceding.

I appreciate your endeavors against communism and the other vices of the world, Mr. Hoover, and I will be anxiously awaiting your prompt reply since this school will be convening shortly. Thank you again and until I hear from you I remain,

P.S. Enclosed is an air mail stamp and return envelope. Thank you!

Sincerely yours,



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From: Director, FBI

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and SACs, WFO and Oklahoma City, 7/29/63.

For information of Richmond and Baltimore, Miami Office
advised that [redacted] advised
that he had developed the following from [redacted]
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[redacted] stated the Fifth Annual Conference of the Christian
Crusade was scheduled for August 2-4, 1963, at the Skirvin Hotel,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Some of the speakers will include
General Edwin Walker, Billie James Hargis, Robert Welch, [redacted]
Major General Racey Jordan and others. According to [redacted] the
conference will be one of the largest of its kind and will include
patriots from all sections of the country. The purpose of the
conference will be to discuss policy and strategy for patriots to
take home regarding the August 28 march on Washington by integrationist
groups. [redacted] predicted many patriots will go to Washington and
there is a good possibility of violence. Plans are being formulated,
according to [redacted] for the patriots to stay in Maryland and Virginia
prior to the 28th of August in order to avoid detection and search
by authorities. The patriots will enter Washington on the morning
of the 28th and many will be armed.

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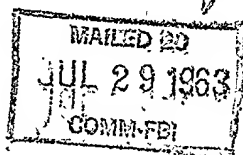
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, F.B.I.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

First of all I will tell you that I am an Anti-Communist.
I am a supporter of Christian Crusade and am a member of
the John Birch Society, of which I am very proud.

Since the F.B.I. knows more about the actions of various
Anti-Communist organizations than anyone else I have a
few questions I would like to ask you about the Minutemen.
From what I can find out it is a very patriotic organization
dedicated to the preservation of our Republic, by force if
necessary. What I would like to know is this. Is the
organization considered Subversive by the F.B.I? And
could it be a tool of the Communist Conspiracy?

I have heard that the F.B.I. is in favor of the Minutemen.
Is this true?

I know that Walter Ruther wants the Minutemen out of the
way along with all of the other Patriotic organizations.
And I believe that our Attourney General would do away
with all of these patriotic organizations probably if he
could. But the Attourney General is not what I am concerned
with at the present.

I am not a member of the Minutemen and have no plans at
the present to be a member but I would appreciate your
answers to the above questions if possible.

Sincerely yours,

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Airtel to Washington Field
Re: MARCH ON WASHINGTON

WFO, Richmond and Baltimore should immediately furnish this information to appropriate local authorities.

Oklahoma City will, through established sources, be alert to ascertain if the conference concerns itself with the August 28 march on Washington, and if so, to what extent. Oklahoma City will keep the Bureau, WFO, Richmond and Baltimore advised regarding this matter so that information may be disseminated to local authorities. Oklahoma City will not conduct any active investigation in this connection, but will restrict their inquiries to established sources, confidential sources and informants.

Miami, in the event [redacted] volunteers further information regarding this matter, will advise the Bureau, WFO, Baltimore, Richmond and Oklahoma City. b6 b7C b7D

NOTE:

[redacted] advised the Miami Office that he obtained information from one [redacted] that the 5th Annual Conference of the Christian Crusade is scheduled for 8/2-4/63 at Oklahoma City, Okla. Speakers will include General Edwin Walker, Billie James Hargis, Robert Welch and others. The purpose of the conference will be to discuss policy and strategy for patriots re 8/28/63 march on Wash. [redacted] predicts many patriots will go to Wash. morning of 28th & many will be armed, creating possibility of violence. WFO, RH, BA being instructed to advise local authorities of this information and OC being directed to obtain through established sources information whether conference actually concerns itself with the march, and, if so, to what extent. [redacted] CRD, Dept., was advised of the information concerning the conference in Oklahoma City. b6 b7C b7D

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GENERAL EDWIN WALKER, BILLIE JAMES HARGIS, ROBERT WELCH, [REDACTED]
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[] ADVISED THAT DUE TO ILLNESS IN HIS FAMILY HE WAS NOT PLANNING TO ATTEND CONFERENCE IN OKLAHOMA CITY.

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Dear [redacted]

I received your letter of August 3rd.

Although I would like to be of service, information contained in the files of the FBI must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice and is available for official use only. I hope you will not infer either that we do or do not have data in our files relating to the subject of your inquiry.

Enclosed is some literature which I hope you will find of interest.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (5)

"Faith in God--Our Answer To Communism"
LEB Introduction, 4-1-61
Internal Security Statement, 4-17-62
Let's Fight Communism Sanely!
The U. S. Businessman Faces the Soviet Spy

NOTE: No information was found in Bufiles which could be determined as identical with [redacted] Billy James Hargis is the founder-president of the Christian Crusade which is allegedly anticommunist. Hargis is a non-denominational minister who has been described as a hill-billy type evangelist. In 1957, he was subject of a Registration Act investigation by the Bureau in that he had contacted the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and had made a visit to that country. In 1958, the Department advised that insufficient evidence was developed to warrant prosecution.

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August 3, 1964

J. Edgar Hoover
Director of the F. B. I.
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I have tried for the last three years or so to make myself informed regarding Communism and it's affect upon America. I thank God that America still has you and your department to look out for the welfare of this country.

In obtaining anti-Communist information, I have run across some material published by "The Christian Crusade", Tulsa 2, Oklahoma. This organization is headed by Dr. Billy James Hargis. Some close friends have now informed me that this organization is just as harmful to the American people as is the Communist Party, tabing it as a part of the "Radical Right Wing."

Since my desire is to serve America for the best interest of all, I am asking you to please advise whether or not "The Christian Crusade" or Billy James Hargis are on your files and listed as subversive.

My interest is to inform American friends of the danger existing within by the Commies as well as the danger from without.

Please reply at your earliest convience.

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Sincerely,

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CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed for Bureau are two copies and for Dallas Office one copy of a newspaper clipping from the 8-5-64 edition of the Oklahoma City Times newspaper.

The item which is titled "ANTI-REDS PLAN SPEECHES" reports the sixth annual convention of the Christian Crusade, is being held 8/7-9/64 at Dallas, Texas. The item reports that several well known anti-Communist speakers, including former Maj. General EDWIN A. WALKER and ROBERT WELCH, founder of the JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY, will attend the convention.

It should be noted the item also reports that resolutions passed by the delegates will be sent to President JOHNSON at the close of the meeting.

Bureau has previously been furnished LHMs re CHRISTIAN CRUSADE.

Two information copies of this airtel and one copy of the newspaper clipping are furnished Dallas Office.

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Dear [redacted]

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Your letter of November 23rd has been received and I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your kind remarks and prayerful sentiments. I want you to know that your support is indeed appreciated.

The FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and neither makes evaluations nor draws conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual.

In view of this, I am sure you will understand why I am not in a position to comment concerning the organization or individual you mentioned.

Enclosed is some material I hope you will find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Time for Decision

U. S. News & World Report Dec. 7, 1964

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J. Edgar Hoover
F.B.I., Wash. 25,
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am writing this letter on behalf of our ladies group, being very concerned about the country we so deeply love, and look to you for guidance in this matter. We have had study groups, and are reading and praying together--is there more we can do? Would you recommend an organization like Christian Crusade, led by Billy Hargis, as worthwhile for our Christian Group? Would you say they are effective in their efforts?

We wish to personally thank you for your great efforts in behalf of our beloved country. In our prayers we thank God for men that stand for truth, and ask His continual guidance for them. We know millions of loyal Americans are looking to you for the truth.

Do you have material for churches or schools that can be used effectively? We wish to do all we can for our country and our God.

In All Sincerity,

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Mr. Julian ~~E.~~ Williams
Research Director
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Post Office Box 977
Tulsa 2, Oklahoma

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Dear Mr. Williams:

I received your letter of December 17th, with enclosure, and want to thank you for sending me a copy of the "Weekly Crusader."

Your kind remarks are indeed appreciated as are your observations of my administration of the FBI. I want to assure you that this Bureau will continue to discharge its responsibilities with the same dispatch and thoroughness that have characterized our work in the past and it is my desire to remain in my present capacity for as long as I may be of service to our Nation.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: We have had limited correspondence with him; last outgoing 9-10-64. His enclosure was a copy of the "Weekly Crusader" of December 11, 1964; captioned "Reds and Liberals Demand F. B. I. Change," and is in support of the Director and the Bureau.

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December 17, 1964

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

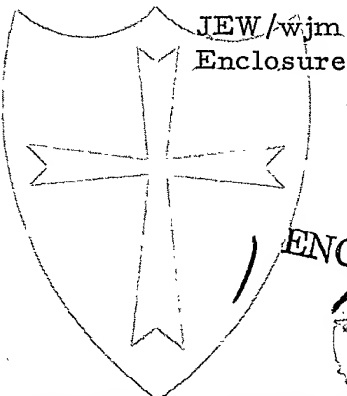
Dear Mr. Hoover:

Dr. Hargis suggested that I send you the enclosed issue of our Weekly Crusader. Informed Americans are deeply concerned over the recently intensified drive against you and the demands for far-reaching changes in the FBI operations.

The most important need in America today, as you know, is to get the truth to the American people regarding the determined drive against our nation by its enemies within. In the Weekly Crusader we strive to disseminate true facts on important issues as widely as possible.

Sincerely yours,

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Reds and "Liberals" Demand F.B.I. Change

A UPI news release in the Tulsa World of November 30 reported that President Lyndon B. Johnson had become a "disenchanted fan" of J. Edgar Hoover and had decided "that he must find a new chief of the FBI." The source of this report was Newsweek magazine. Shortly after this news report, a denial came from the White House. George Reedy, Presidential Press Secretary, denied this rumor as follows: "The President never heard of any such proposal--that Mr. Hoover be replaced--and never entertained any such idea..."

Apparently, the two major factors behind these claims that Mr. Hoover was on his way out were the Hoover-Martin Luther King conflict and Mr. Hoover's criticism of the Warren Investigating Commission Report. First, let us examine the Hoover-King conflict.

Pinning Down the Truth

On November 18, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover said that Martin Luther King was "the most notorious liar in the country" for claiming that FBI agents in Albany, Georgia, would take no action on civil rights complaints because they were Southerners. This particular report of the incident came from the November 19 Tulsa World newspaper. During November 1962, while discussing racial disturbances in Albany, Georgia, Martin Luther King was widely quoted in the press as stating that one of the greatest problems regarding the FBI in the South is that agents there are white Southerners who have been influenced by the mores of the community.

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The FBI straightened out the record on this charge by pointing out that four of the five agents then assigned to Albany, Georgia, were Northerners; and that 70 per cent of the FBI agents in the South were born in the North.

The above and other information from the FBI regarding Martin Luther King's charges against the FBI and the facts refuting these charges were published in the December 7, 1964, issue of U. S. News & World Report. A report on these charges and the FBI answers which was published by U. S. News & World Report would take up most of the space needed for this article. For the benefit of those who would like to examine this FBI answer to King's criticisms, it can be found on pages 46 and 48 of the December 7 U. S. News & World Report.

Heart of the Dispute

This issue of U.S. News & World Report also pointed out that the heart of the dispute between J. Edgar Hoover and Negro "civil rights" leaders was the question as to whether or not the U. S. should turn the FBI into a national police force. Mr. Hoover is strongly opposed to the national police concept. U. S. News reported further on this controversy as follows:

"The central issue on which Mr. Hoover disagrees with Negro leaders is the demand that the FBI provide federal police protection for civil-rights workers who go into the South seeking reform. The FBI, these Negro spokesmen assert, should change its procedure and act independently of local law-enforcement agencies in the South.

"Such action, Mr. Hoover believes, would take the FBI beyond its jurisdiction as now authorized and move it in the direction of a national police force carrying out policies originating in Washington.

"As the issue grows, there are indications that Congress in the not distant future may have to decide whether the FBI is to remain an agency for investigation of violations of federal law or become a police force to be used in implementing policies laid down by a National Administration.

"The choice then will lie between a national police system, such as exists behind the Iron Curtain and in some other foreign countries, and the objective investigative force into which the FBI has been developed under the direction of Mr. Hoover...

"History shows deep-seated abuses in nations where police systems have operated under political control of central governments. Examples include the terrorism of Hitler's Gestapo, the atrocities committed by the Soviet secret police, and the reign of terror today in Communist Cuba, a police state only 90 miles from the U. S...."

The U. S. News & World Report article also pointed out that turning the FBI into a national police force would involve a "colossal" expenditure of tax money which would run into the billions. Of course, this would also entail a vast expansion of the FBI. The serious situation in which our nation flounders will be magnified greatly if Martin Luther King, Roy Wilkins, James Farmer and others of their philosophy are able to force this vast change in the functions of the FBI.

Other Issues on Which They Differ

There are other issues on which Martin Luther King and FBI Director Hoover stand on opposite viewpoints. These possibly contributed also to Martin Luther King's unfavorable view of Mr. Hoover and the FBI. For example, they are on opposite sides in regard to the usefulness of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. Mr. Hoover, backed by his vast knowledge of the communist conspiracy, is thoroughly convinced of the fairness and value of this committee. On the other hand, Martin Luther King (who has exhibited no knowledge of the conspiracy) seeks its abolition.

During a press conference in Lynchburg, Virginia, on March 27, 1962, King attacked the House Committee on Un-American Activities as "the most un-American committee operating in America today." In a booklet smearing the committee, written by Anne Braden and published during 1963, Martin Luther King's name is found among the sponsors of the "National Committee to Abolish the House Un-American Activities Committee" which published the booklet. Anne Braden is an identified communist and, of course, this National Committee to Abolish the House Un-American Activities Committee is pursuing a very important objective of the conspirators.

Obviously, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover is well aware of the determined communist drive to destroy the Committee on Un-American Activities. The FBI Annual Report for the Fiscal Year 1963 reported: "A major effort of the (Communist) Party in the 1963 fiscal year was the intensification of its drive to destroy or discredit Government agencies and Congressional committees investigating communist activities..." In a speech during July 1959, Mr. Hoover described the work of Congressional committees investigating communism as being "essential."

In an article in The Elks Magazine of August 1956, Mr. Hoover warned readers of the "pseudo liberal" who is so easily duped by the communists. He said that "These misinformed dupes...rant endlessly at patriotic committees of the Congress whose efforts are dedicated to exposing the conspiracy..." Generally, we will find Mr. J. Edgar Hoover recognizing that America needs a strong defense against the communist conspirators internally and externally. We have seen nothing in the written or spoken words of Martin Luther King indicating a recognition of this important fact of our present perilous times.

Martin Luther King and his Southern Christian Leadership Conference advocate breaking the law providing it is a law of which King does not approve. Naturally, we find Mr. J. Edgar Hoover on the opposite side of this viewpoint also. In a speech to the National Catholic Youth Organization on November 16, 1963, Mr. Hoover told his audience that "Hate, terror, and lawlessness are not the American way of accomplishing any objective that is truly worthwhile..." Mr. Hoover also made some other important remarks on this subject which are quite at odds with Martin Luther King's viewpoint. During a speech in Chicago on November 24, 1964, J. Edgar Hoover said:

"Law and order are the foundations upon which successful government must stand...government cannot favor one group or one special interest over its duties to protect the rights of all citizens. We must constantly guard government against the pressure groups which would crush the rights of others under heel in order to achieve their own ends. The law of the land is above any individual. All must abide by it.

If we short-cut the law, we play a dangerous game which can only result in total defeat for all of us, because if we destroy our system of government by law, we destroy our only means of achieving a stable society.

"It is a great misfortune that the zealots of pressure groups always think with their emotions--seldom with reason. They have no compunction in carping, lying and exaggerating with the fiercest passions, spearheaded at times by Communists and moral degenerates. They cry 'liberty' when they really mean license... We cannot and will not permit the FBI to be used to superimpose the aims of those who would sacrifice the very foundations on which our government rests.

"I take humble pride in emphatically stating that, as long as I am Director of the FBI, it will continue to maintain its high and impartial standards of investigation, despite the hostile opinions of its detractors.

"Furthermore, the FBI will continue to be objective in its investigations and will stay within the bounds of its authorized jurisdiction regardless of pressure groups which seek to use the FBI to attain their own selfish aims to the detriment of our people as a whole. "

The Warren Commission Report

Another factor which is apparently back of the rumors which claim that Mr. Hoover is to be ousted was his criticism of the Warren Commission Report. He accused the Warren Commission's report of being "unfair and unjust" in its criticism of the FBI.

The Warren Commission (in spite of reported objections by some members of the commission) said that the FBI "took an unduly restrictive view of its role in preventive intelligence work prior to the assassination. A more carefully co-ordinated treatment of the Oswald case by the FBI might well have resulted in bringing Oswald's activities to the attention of the Secret Service." Of course, this commission report ignored the fact that protection of a President is the duty of the Secret Service and not of the FBI. Mr. Hoover pointed out that it is not the FBI's business to guard anyone. Walter Trohan of the Chicago Tribune in the September 30, 1964, issue of that newspaper wrote that even if the Secret Service had been told about Oswald, "it would have done nothing because he had no record of violence." Mr. Trohan also said that the FBI is not a part of the protective system because the Secret Service doesn't want it that way.

In regard to moving questionable people out of the way every time the President makes a public appearance, Mr. Hoover said on November 18 that in New York City alone 7,000 persons would have to be taken out of circulation. In a column in the Tulsa World of October 19, 1964, William F. Buckley, Jr. pointed out that Earl Warren himself had in recent years "done everything within his power to undermine a) anti-subversive legislation (for instance, of the kind that might have put the spotlight on Oswald), and b) criminal-apprehension techniques (there was the famous Mallory case, for instance, where a rapist-murderer was released because he hadn't been arraigned soon enough: who went on to rape again). "

In his October 19 column, Mr. Buckley also brings up the question as to why Mr. Hoover's testimony before the Warren Commission was not published. Buckley suggested, was it "Because it would have defanged Mr. Warren's criticisms?"

Reds Swing Out at a Long-time Enemy

At any rate, the communist conspirators found the Warren Commission's blow at the FBI highly pleasing because the FBI and J. Edgar Hoover have long been among the top targets of the conspirators in the United States. The lead article on page two of The Worker of September 27, 1964, was headlined "Warren Report Flays Bungling by the FBI."

This article reported to Red conspirators around the nation that "the Warren Commission delivered perhaps the most devastating indictment of the Federal Bureau of Investigation ever made by a body of distinguished public officials." It referred to the Warren Commission's criticism of the FBI's role in Dallas during the fateful week end as "the first significant blast" at this high priority enemy of the Reds. At the end of this article, the communists repeated a demand which they have been making for a long time. The Worker stated: "The time is long overdue for the removal of Hoover and the drastic reorganization of an agency which... has become one of the greatest threats to our democratic institutions." Of course, by this they mean threat to the communist conspiracy.

One of the many previous occasions on which the communist conspirators were warned of the threat of the FBI to the conspiracy was at a meeting of the National Committee of the Communist Party on March 23, 1950. Red leaders attending this meeting were told:

"The FBI is not only an enemy of our Party...but it represents a monstrous menace to everything democratic in American life...It has recruited...thousands and thousands of petty informers and stool-pigeons who spy on all organizations of the people, who snoop into the private affairs of their neighbors, who concoct the most lurid tales in order to be on the good side and to prove their worth to their FBI bosses."

At this meeting, the communist conspirators were also ordered to "destroy the slimy stool-pigeons operating under the Gestapo-like J. Edgar Hoover."

In The Worker of July 26, 1964, the late Elizabeth Gurley Flynn described Mr. Hoover to fellow communists as "this arrogant stupid bureaucrat" who has "remained in office since the 20's." In the very next sentence, she gave the major reason why the communists take such a dim view of Mr. Hoover when she wrote: "He is anti-Communist..." Naturally, Mrs. Flynn repeated the conspiracy demand that Hoover be ousted. She wrote: "He and his outfit are out of date and should be put out to pasture."

It should be obvious that the communist conspirators would attempt to take advantage of the conflict between J. Edgar Hoover and one of their favorites, Martin Luther King. Front-page headlines in The Worker of November 24, 1964, read:

"Hoover's Outburst Stirs Avalanche of Protests." Once again, the demand for Hoover's ousting was repeated in this issue of The Worker in a statement by Claude Lightfoot, Negro communist leader. During remarks on the Hoover-King conflict, Red conspirator Lightfoot demanded, "In the national interest, J. Edgar Hoover must be removed from his post and conditions created where the FBI is subjugated to public scrutiny as any other organ of government."

The "Liberals" Too

As is usually the case in matters such as this, left-wing "liberals" have also taken up the cry. The article in the November 24 issue of The Worker quoted from some "liberal" newspapers along with remarks by other "liberal" individuals and organizations.

An editorial in the New York Times entitled "Time to Retire" seemed especially pleasing to The Worker. The Worker article also quoted a remark by Methodist Bishop James K. Mathews. He stated: "This outburst, together with Mr. Hoover's observations would appear to justify his retirement at age 70, with recognition of his many years of service to our country."

If they have not already done so, undoubtedly, left-wing magazines will take up this cry for the scalp of Mr. J. Edgar Hoover as head of the FBI. Back in 1958 the ultra-left Nation magazine devoted a 56-page issue to an "Objective appraisal of the FBI."

This so-called "Objective appraisal" repeated a long list of charges against Mr. Hoover and the FBI and concluded with the suggestion that "Hoover's role and the role of the FBI at some day and some hour will have to be assessed." It is quite possible that the Hoover-King conflict will inspire increased activity against the FBI by the Nation magazine and others like it.


Greater Perils Ahead

The following warning from the 1964 annual report of the FBI will probably bring about increased agitation against the FBI by the communist conspirators and other extreme left elements. This warning in the FBI's annual report read: "The Communist Party, USA, stepped up its programs on all domestic fronts during the 1964 fiscal year. While seeking to hide its slavish allegiance to the Soviet Union behind a cloud of propaganda, the Party worked unremittingly to increase its influence in the racial struggle; gain new members through an intensive youth recruitment campaign; and promote the false impression that it is a legitimate political party." Of course, this FBI report also gave a great deal of information regarding specific activities of the communist conspiracy in our nation.

If this campaign to oust Mr. Hoover should succeed during 1965 or soon thereafter, there is a strong possibility that an FBI head would be appointed who does not view the evil communist conspiracy in the same light as does Mr. Hoover. The disappearance of Mr. Hoover from the FBI scene in the near future, through removal or death, could quite possibly increase the danger of success by those who want the FBI converted into a national police force to be used at the whims of ultra-left agitators who have had false halos placed around their heads. Certainly all informed Americans


should be aware of the possibilities and support a continuation of the FBI as it now functions as against its expansion into a national police force.

The article in the December 7, 1964, issue of U. S. News & World Report from which we have quoted earlier in this article says that pressure is expected to continue for these changes in the FBI. The struggle could well reach the floor next year of a U. S. Congress which has moved further to the left. Perilous days, indeed, lie ahead for our nation and efforts to inform fellow citizens must be expanded by all informed anti-communists. A possible awakening of the American people is still what the Red conspirators fear most.



International Outlook
by
DR. FERNANDO PENABAZ

Dr. Fernando Penabaz is a syndicated newspaper columnist for the Chicago Tribune-owned Ft. Lauderdale News. A native of Oriente Province, Cuba, Dr. Penabaz became one of Havana's most noted trial attorneys and headed his own law firm at the time of the Castro takeover. Fleeing Cuba, he has become one of the most responsible Cuban refugee leaders in the United States, and broadcasts daily in Spanish over more than 100 Latin American radio stations.



PLEASE, WATCH THE CONGO

If you believe in God, you should pay close attention to what is taking place at present in the Congo. Now that not a day goes by without some ghastly news item from the Congo being featured in your news media, you'd also do well in scrutinizing and remembering them because the tragedy of the Congo is nothing more nor less than a new chapter in the constant attempts being carried out from Peiping and Moscow to expand their horrible brand of tyranny. What is happening there now, God forbid, could well take place in the foreseeable future in any part of what is left of the free world and that includes the U. S. A.

There is really nothing new in the Congo story. The rape, the arson, the mass murders have always been part and parcel of communist warfare and Red rule. There is only one thing different, and that is, in this case it is happening NOW and you can read and hear about it as it unfolds.

There is, perhaps, another interesting angle and that is that Red terror in the Congo is also being suffered by Americans. This time it should not be something easily forgotten because it only affected Cubans, or Russians, or Chinese, or the hundreds of millions of other foreigners with whom you had little in common. In the Congo many of the victims are men, women and children who are Americans. They think like you do and they suffer as you would suffer. Naturally, the foreigners suffer also, but it brings matters closer to home when our own people are undergoing such martyrdom.

The war being waged in the Congo is not only a political war; it is a religious war. But, then, this is logical because any war waged by communists is a religious war in that one of their main objectives is the liquidation of religion; all religions. To them religion is the "opium of the people" and it must be totally eradicated before communism can totally triumph and shine in all of its pristine ingloriousness.

Suppose you were in the Congo today, what would be your thoughts? How would you feel? Perhaps a letter written by Elmer and Mary Deal, two American Baptist missionaries, to the Bible Baptist Church in Pampa, Texas, may answer these questions. This is what they wrote:

"Friday afternoon about four p.m. the soldiers came to Reubeni's house and for no reason began beating him and his family and threatening to shoot them. His wife pleaded with them not to shoot her husband and leave her. So they set Reubeni on the floor against the mud wall and placed his wife on his lap. The soldier then raised his gun and aimed at her stomach and pulled the trigger. But nothing happened! All that was heard was the click of the hammer as it banged against the firing pin. Another soldier came and pulled the trigger only to hear again the same click of the hammer. The soldiers went away in confusion leaving Reubeni with a broken arm and his wife with a fractured hip and both with many bruises. Their son Ephraim and his wife were beaten and he was taken prisoner and held for twenty-four hours of added beatings and terror.

"Sometime after midnight, on Saturday, after many hours of imprisonment and beatings, the soldiers in their rage of confusion and hatred carried Gregoire to the Lukuga River; tied his hands and feet together and threw him over the side of the bridge into the high raging waters. The soldiers upon returning to their posts were overheard by Mwanangwa, a Christian that had been taken prisoner with Gregoire, as saying, 'We have just killed a good Christian. When we would beat him, he would only pray. As we threw him off the bridge he prayed, Mungu Pokea Roho Yangu'(God receive my spirit). He went under and cried again this same prayer. The last time he came up, he prayed, God forgive me and was seen no more. The turbulent, muddy waters of the Lukuga had claimed Pastor Gregoire's body, but it could never claim his soul.

"In an atmosphere of deep sorrow, we had our services, praying for all that were still in danger. God blessed the services by adding two names to the Lamb's Book of Life, Malamba Luisa and Ilunga Medi. "

Elmer and Mary Deal's letter was written in March. The "soldiers" they mention in it belonged to Cyrille Adoula's U. N. backed Central Congolese Government. Adoula, as you may well surmise, was a pro-leftist "neutral. "

(Reprinted from Human Events, November 28, 1964)

The American Civil Liberties Union has apparently undertaken another zany operation. The ACLU has made a formal protest to city officials in Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., for flying pennants which say "One Nation Under God" under the American flag.

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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of December 28th has been received and I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the kind comments you made in my behalf.

I am enclosing a copy of my October message to all law enforcement officials which is concerned primarily with the W. E. B. DuBois Clubs of America. I hope you will find this article to be of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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[Redacted] It has been published that [Redacted] Reverend Billy James Hargis. Hargis is founder-president of the Christian Crusade which is allegedly anti-communist. Hargis is a nondenominational minister who has been described as a hill-billy type evangelist. In 1957, he was subject of a Registration Act investigation by the Bureau in that he had contacted the Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and had made a visit to that country. In 1958, the Department advised that insufficient evidence was presented to indicate that he served as an Agent of the D.R.E.

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THE INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY of BILLY JAMES HARGIS

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J. Edgar Hoover, Director
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Again, let me express my appreciation for your tremendous work in exposing to the American people the deadly threat of communism.

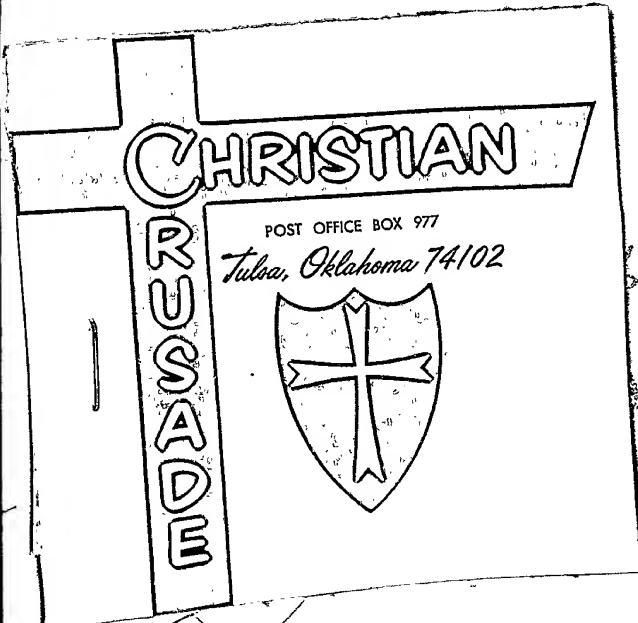
I am writing particularly for additional information on the new W.E.B. DuBois Clubs. I have noticed in the Chicago Tribune for December 17th of this year your reply to a group of students at the University of Chicago. If you have any booklet or pamphlet out on this particular group, I would certainly appreciate a copy.

Thank you again for your tremendous work.

Yours for God and America,



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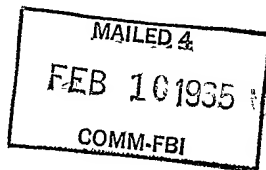
I received your letter of February 5th and want to thank you for your kind sentiments and expression of confidence in my administration of the FBI. It is hoped our future endeavors will continue to merit such approbation. You may be interested in knowing it is my desire to remain in my present capacity as long as I may be of service to our Nation.

With respect to your inquiry, information contained in the files of the FBI must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice and is available for official use only. Therefore, I trust you will understand why I am not in a position to comment along the lines you have suggested and hope you will not infer either that we do or do not have data in our files relating to the Christian Crusade.

Your concern about the threat of communism is understandable and your desire to learn more about the nature of this menace is reassuring. I have repeatedly emphasized it is imperative for Americans to study the objectives and operations of the communist conspiracy if we are to effectively resist its eroding influence. I am enclosing material which includes suggestions all of us can use in combating this evil. Perhaps you may also wish to read my books, "Masters of Deceit" and "A Study of Communism." These were written in order to help readers gain an insight into the strategy and tactics of communists, both in this country and abroad. Copies may be available in your local library.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover;

I am more than thankful that I can address this letter to you, Mr. Hoover, rather than some of the people that have been suggested capable of replacing you as director. I hope that when your replacement does become necessary that you will be able to choose the man which in your opinion is best qualified. Thank you sir, for fighting to keep America a free country for both the Christian and non-Christian.

To be brief, it is this fight that I am writing to you about. I am [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The area 'sister' churches conduct a Christian Workers Clinic at Xenia, Ohio each January and February. This year I chose to take a class presented by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] entitled How to Deal With Communism. It is this class that has prompted me to write to you, Mr. Hoover.

An eighteen year old organization has been emphasized that I know nothing about. The Organization in question is:

Christian Crusade
PO Box 977
Tulsa 2, Oklahoma.

The founder-director of Christian Crusade is Dr. Billy James Hargis. What I would like to know is if Dr. Hargis and his staff are capable leaders in this field? Are there any staff members that are sympathetic towards the Communists?

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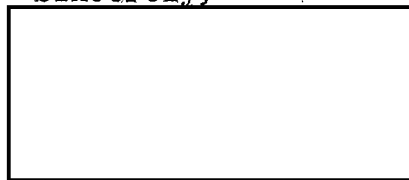
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Also is the organization what it claims to be, "for Christianity, against Communist"? Has the Christian Crusade proven itself an aid rather than a hinderance in the fight against Communism?

I am sincere and want to do my share as an Americancitizen and a Christian. I want to be sure of the first step before I start to take the next one. Why should I give my mind to learning specific facts about a movement that is dedicated to stealing my mind if I learn only what they want me to? Why give them a helping hand?

Thank you, Mr. Hoover for your time and information. May God continue to watch over you and grant to the best of health.

Sincerely,



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February 11, 1965

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Honorable Mr. Hoover:

Thank you so much for sending me the material in regards to the W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America.

I am enclosing a copy of our latest publication which I have just written entitled "Communism, Hypnotism and the Beatles" which is a study in depth on the communists' use of music. There seems to be little doubt that the communists have a master music plan designed for youth from the cradle through the university student involving three types of music: viz., rhythmic, beat, and folk.

The article is well documented with nearly 160 footnotes, but I suspect because the subject matter seems rather exotic that some who should have an interest in this area won't. Also, since the area is primarily the area of brainwashing and perhaps below the normal level of credulity many will be uninterested.

Thank you again, Mr. Hoover, for your great sacrifice to the American dream of our great nation under God.

Yours for Christ and America,

Dr. Billy James Hargis

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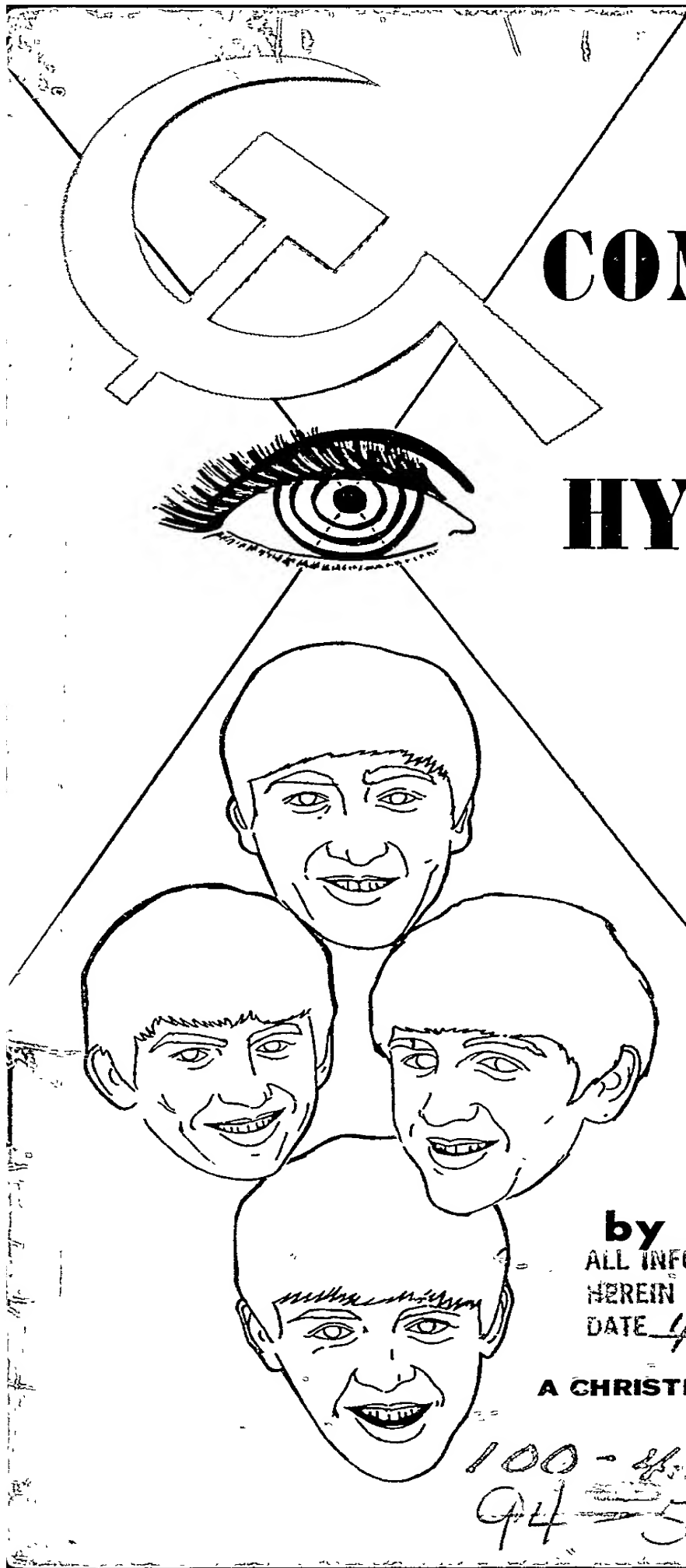
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Preface

Two things need to be stated in this introduction. A word of appreciation is in order for those who faithfully shared in this project: Mrs. David Kothmann, Mrs. Irene Johnson, Mr. Dean Riggins and Mr. Lee Adamson. Dr. R. P. Oliver gave valuable suggestions and, of course, Dr. Billy James Hargis has made this thesis a reality through his encouragement, promotion and production.

A word regarding the footnotes which appear in the back of the paper is also necessary. The student willing to explore with honest inquiry, instead of Pavlovian salivation, will find more information in the notes than in the body of the thesis. A reading of the footnotes, therefore, is strongly recommended, not only for verification purposes, but also for vital additional information.

Communism, Hypnotism and the Beatles

By David A. Noebel

The communists, according to Dr. Leon Freedom, have thought up nothing in brainwashing, or in any other phase of psychiatry. "All that they have done is to take what free science has developed and use it in a manner that would ordinarily be considered mad . . . there isn't anything original about what they are doing, only in the way they are doing it. Their single innovation has been to use what they copy in a diabolical order. Their objective is solely *to make minds sick*, not healthy, to create frustrations. . ."¹

Dr. Freedom mentions that "the methods devised by the Free World to combat illness are used by the communists to create it."² Edward Hunter, one of America's outstanding authorities in the field of brainwashing, summarized the communist operation of mind-tampering with "the most diabolical intrigues of the past never descended to such dark, unstirred depths. There is something repulsive and against nature in it. This is not easy for the normal mind to grasp."³ Little wonder the United States' first ambassador to the Soviet Union remarked, "The great tragedy of the West is that its leaders—and they are all good, Christian patriotic men—simply are incapable of grasping or understanding the nature of the enemy bent upon their destruction."⁴

It is no secret that the communists have determined in their innermost councils to destroy the United States of America.⁵ The methods to obtain our destruction have varied from time to time but the goal has never changed. One of the methods concocted to bring about the demise of the United States is a weapon known as menticide: a lethal psychological process that produces a literal suicide of the mind! A well-know professor stated that "the Communist Conspiracy. . . conducts scientifically planned attacks on the human mind on many levels with techniques adapted to the circumstances."⁶ It is true that methods vary in this field of menticide, but the object is the same—to create a sick mind!

The communists, through their scientists, educators and entertainers, have contrived an elaborate, calculating and scientific technique directed at rendering a generation of American youth useless through nerve-jamming, mental deterioration and retardation.⁷ The plan involves conditioned reflexes, hypnotism,⁸ and certain kinds of music. The results, destined to destroy our nation, are precise and exacting. Little wonder the Kremlin maintains it will not raise the Red flag over America—the Americans will raise it themselves. If the following scientific program destined to make our children mentally sick is not exposed, mentally degenerated Americans will indeed raise the communist flag over their own nation!

That certain kinds of music are very destructive is not new. As early as 2500 years before Christ, observations of the effects of music on the composite of mind, body and emotion were written on papyri by the Egyptians. Pythagoras established that music was an exact science which exercised a profound effect on the senses and emotions. Plato understood the destructive qualities of certain kinds of music. In *The Republic* he states that

"the introduction of a new kind of music must be shunned as imperiling the whole State; since styles of music are never disturbed without affecting the most important political institutions."⁹ Emil Neuman, in his *History of Music*, summarizes the opinions of Plato: "He insisted it was the paramount duty of the Legislature to suppress all music of an effeminate and lascivious character, and to encourage only that which was pure and dignified; that bold and stirring melodies were for men, gentle and soothing ones for women."

Aristotle likewise understood the destructiveness of certain kinds of music. He states that "emotions of any kind are produced by melody and rhythm," and the "music has the power to form character," the manner of its arrangement being so important, that "the various modes may be distinguished by their effects on character . . . one, for example, working in the direction of melancholy, another of effeminacy; one encouraging abandonment, another self-control, another enthusiasm; and so on through the series."¹⁰

But it took the communist scientists and psycho-politicians to devise a means of combining the use of hypnotism and music to nerve-jam the children of a nation without our leaders, teachers or parents being aware of its implications.¹¹

The laboratory work was accomplished by a number of Russian scientists, but the important ones were Ivan P. Pavlov,¹² A. R. Luria,¹³ and K. I. Platonov.¹⁴

Pavlov, experimenting with animals and human beings, made the expression "conditioned reflex" a near household word. He found that three areas of the human body could be conditioned, viz., muscles, glands and skin area. His famous experiment with dogs is well known. Edward Hunter, in his excellent book *Brainwashing*, summarizes the experiment: "The central theme (of the film *The Nervous System*) was indicated by a scene showing a dog in harness, standing on what looked like an operating table, in a room full of mechanical gadgets and curious meters. What immediately attracted attention was the glass container inserted into the side of the dog's lower jaw. This was supposed to have been painless; it did not seem to annoy the dog. Unsmiling doctors busied themselves with the experiment. One held the bulbous end of a rubber tube. By squeezing it, air pressure moved a circular tray bringing a bowl of food within reach of the harnessed canine. As soon as this happened, a light flashed. The dog hungrily eyed the approaching food, and its saliva began to drip into the test tube attached to its jaw. Each drop was counted and carefully tabulated on a graph.

"The dog," continues Hunter, "at first paid no attention to the light. Sometimes the rotary table brought an empty bowl to the dog's mouth, but whenever that happened, the light did not go on and no saliva flowed. A routine was established. When the light flashed, food appeared and saliva appeared. When an empty bowl approached, the light did not go on and there was no saliva.

"After a while, the dog hardly glanced at the bowl. It had identified the light with the food. The light was sufficient sign; it had 'learned.'¹⁵

The crucial point in the experiment was now reached. A white-gowned doctor pressed a push button, the light flashed, but this time the round table did not bring the dog any food. Its saliva dripped just the same. The light had replaced the food in the mind of the dog, the way a slogan or label can replace a thought in a man's mind. The caption merely read 'Reflex caused by flashing light.'¹⁶

Pavlov experimented with animals in other areas as well, e.g., in an area known as artificial neurosis. Here the scientist took healthy animals and using two conditioned reflexes, the excitatory reflex and the inhibitory reflex, caused these healthy animals to break down mentally with cases of artificial neurosis. As we shall see, this is exactly what the Beatles, in particular, and rock and roll, in general, are doing to our teenagers.

In the years 1924-1929, A. R. Luria conducted extensive experiments with children¹⁷ in the area of hypnotism and music.¹⁸ His book, published in 1932, was entitled *The Nature of Human Conflict*. It was subtitled "An Objective Study of Disorganization and Control of Human Behavior." This communist explains in great detail the nerve-jamming¹⁹ of children and how younger children can be retarded mentally and even animalized by: (1) Putting children under severe nervous tension (there are many diagrams and charts to explain this in his book); (2) Creating artificial degrees of neurosis;²⁰ (3) Interfering with the normal maturation of the nervous system of the cortical portion of the brain (the cortical portion is the reasoning part while the subcortical is the impulsive uncontrolled section with animal instincts); (4) Destroying the normal inhibitory mechanism of the cerebral cortex; and (5) Hypnotic induction inducing sleep.²¹ Part three, chapter ten, contains Luria's experiments with rhythmical reactions.²²

The final scientist to be mentioned in this brief introduction is K. I. Platonov, who penned a work entitled: *The Word as a Physiological and Therapeutic Factor*.²³ It was published in English in 1959 by the Foreign Languages Publishing House in Moscow. Platonov, too, describes the field of hypnosis²⁴ and reveals three stages of hypnosis—the first stage being a waking state that prepares the subject to receive hypnotic suggestion. Platonov states that "the first stage of hypnosis is characterized by a progressive decrease in the tone of the cerebral cortex."

The subcortical, according to Pavlov, is not the executing organism, but a receptor organism. In fact, the subcortical can receive suggestions and impulses, arousing emotion and even bodily actions, without the master of the house (the executive organism) realizing that his body-temple has been invaded. This, as we shall see, is exactly what the communists have capitalized on, and, at present, they are using this knowledge of the various stages of hypnotism and music²⁵ to invade the privacy of the minds of our children²⁶ to render them mentally incompetent and neurotic.²⁷

Following the laboratory experiments, the communists contacted educators and procured entertainers to convert this devilish scheme into a program scientifically designed to destroy American youth—mentally and emotionally! The intermediary between the scientists, educators and entertainers was a man by the name of Norman Corwin. This psycho-political²⁸ plot was hatched in the United States of America in the year 1946.

"In July of 1946 a 'cultural' congress was held in Moscow. Norman Corwin, writer and radio commentator, was the 'honored guest.' He presented the Moscow International Convention with two recordings from the American-Soviet Music Society. Following this convention in Moscow, renewed activity in the recording field for communist causes and objectives became apparent. A few of the fronts which resulted are as follows . . . Young People's Records. . . People's Songs²⁹. . ."³⁰

The personnel involved in the make up of these communist recording companies include such well-known personalities as Peter Seeger,³¹ Earl Robinson,³² Woody Guthrie,³³ and Tom Glazer.³⁴

Established as a subsidiary to Young People's Records, an organization cited nine times as subversive by various agencies of our government,³⁵ was a company known as the Children's Record Guild.³⁶ These Children's Record Guild records were likewise scientifically calculated to nerve-jam the minds of our children.

Consistently enough, the members of the Pavlovian Society³⁷ here in the United States along with the educators on the editorial board of Young People's Records³⁸ and the entertainers, artists, writers and promoters³⁹ of these communist recordings, geared to nerve-jam the listening child, all belong to many of the same communist fronts.⁴⁰

The communists have not entered into the children's recording field for any humanitarian purpose.⁴¹ Just the opposite is the truth. As one documentary put it: "The Communist Party does not overlook the indoctrination of children.⁴² The communist book stores recently have been handing out folders advertising Young People's Records. One of these folders, distributed by the Communist Party Progressive Book Shop,⁴³ located at 1806 West Seventh Street, in Los Angeles, is entitled 'Help Your Child Discover the Fascinating World of Music' —. The records, announce the folder, are on 'permadisc' and sell for only \$1.49 plus tax. The folder declares that 'Critics and Teachers Hail Young People's Records.'"⁴⁴

On the jacket of these records the names of Young People's Records (YPR) and Children's Record Guild are stamped indicating the "togetherness" experienced by these two companies. The address given for both is 100 Sixth Ave., New York 13, N. Y. In Canada the address is 1184 Castlefield Ave., Toronto. Also printed on some of the jackets is the comment: "Approved by boards of education and in daily use in thousands of schools in all 50 states and Canada."

One of the records disced by this communist recording company, the Children's Record Guild Co., is entitled *The Little Puppet*. It is played to children in the home and in the early grades for music appreciation or creative rhythm activity. "It contains," according to Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., "a certain power of suggestion and musical arrangements designed to be frustrating and hypnotic."⁴⁵ It also contains such things in the background as a ticking clock, a metronome and properly placed wind sounds — all elements used in the process of hypnotism.⁴⁶

Children's Record Guild records have been analysed by experts in the fields of medicine and hypnosis. The conclusions reached are the same as those envisioned by the communists who perpetrated the records — both in the laboratory and on the market.

Dr. Granville F. Knight unambiguously stated: "There is no question in my mind about the hypnotic effects of the so-called 'sleepy songs' which are usually found on each record. Hypnotic induction by means of these records could easily place young children in a most receptive mood for suggestions of various sorts. These might include suggestions about world citizenship, against patriotism and nationalism or anything which the teacher felt should be inculcated in the minds of young children."⁴⁷

When one takes into consideration the fact that the United Nations has endorsed both Young People's Records and Children's Record Guild,⁴⁸ the conclusions reached by Dr. Knight are not too radical.

Canada's leading authority in the field of hypnotism, Dr. J. A. Boucher, commented as follows regarding these communist records: "I have played these at length and found they are certainly something to give plenty of thought and consideration to. I would certainly agree. . . that they are in the hypnosis category."⁴⁹

Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., America's leading authority in the field of hypnosis, has accomplished a great service for the nation in analysing and exposing these records. Dr. Bryan graduated from Duke University with his A. B. Degree in 1947. He received his B. S. Degree in 1949 and his Doctorate in Medicine from the University of Illinois in 1952. During the Korean War he was director of medical survival training for the U. S. Air Force. Following his honorable discharge from the Air Force, he was a member of his local county and state medical societies and the A. M. A. while doing general practice. He was elevated to the American Academy of General Practice, was state chairman of the U. S. Committee of the World Medical Association and operated a flying medical service.

In 1955 Dr. Bryan organized the American Institute of Hypnosis to spur interest in training physicians and dentists in the use of this new medical and dental diagnostic and therapeutic tool. He has been a guest lecturer at St. Ann's Psychiatric Hospital Faculty of Medicine, University of Paris (Sorbonne), France, is an honorary member of the British Society of Medical Hypnosis, and is past president, founder, fellow and executive director of the American Institute of Hypnosis.

Dr. Bryan also edits the *American Institute of Hypnosis Journal*, a professional medical and dental publication devoted exclusively to the use of hypnosis in the respective professions.

The only M.D. in the United States specializing full time in the practice of hypnosis in medicine, since the approval of hypnosis by the A.M.A. in 1958, Dr. Bryan has taught thousands of physicians and dentists all over the world the use of hypnosis in medicine, under the sponsorship of the American Institute of Hypnosis. He has written numerous articles on the use of hypnosis for various medical journals, and two books, which are the first of their kind in the field: *Legal Aspects of Hypnosis* and *Religious Aspects of Hypnosis*.

In the presence of a stenographer who recorded his authoritative testimony regarding these records, the following is his professional analysis of "The Little Puppet."

"In the first place, the thing that strikes me immediately is that the

tempo is the same as the pulse rate,⁵⁰ approximately 82 beats per minute.⁵¹ Hans Sutermeister, I believe I'm correct, in the British Medical Journal of Hypnotism, commented on a research program of this very thing. When sound stimuli are presented at the same rate as the average pulse rate, they tend to make the suggestion given at the same time—they seem to greatly increase the force with which the suggestions are given at that particular time.⁵²

Dr. Bryan continues, "I'm sure I could use this record 'The Little Puppet' very definitely as an induction record for children, and I would be happy to take ten children,⁵³ and with a few words . . . play that record for them, and show you that you can induce everyone of them into a state of hypnosis.⁵⁴ The children are being hypnotized without their knowledge and that's the real insidious part about these records."

In "The Little Puppet" record, the musician sings "lower, still lower." Dr. Bryan comments. . . "this is just like 'down deeper and deeper,' it's obvious induction, a deepening technique. Everyone of these things, and the exact fact that the person, as soon as he says 'drop them' and 'boo' and you then get the reaction of the drum following as though the thing is well on its way to completion. This is strictly an induction record, it's the only thing you can say about it, an absolute hypnotic induction."

Even a non-expert can grasp the word content of the record although Dr. Bryan warns that "the devices used in these records are so subtle that they very well may pass inspection by a well-meaning committee of physicians untrained in hypnosis, brainwashing and other such fields."⁵⁵ As long as the string puller pulls the strings, the puppet does fine, but unless the string puller is there the puppet can do nothing by himself. As Dr. Bryan puts it, "when you loosen up the strings and fall down—it's obvious to me, obviously placing the idea in the subconscious of the child that unless the string puller is there he can't do anything by himself without the specific directions of the communist boss, or whoever it happens to be. . . and it really takes the entire control away from the child, and then after he gets through three or four of these deepening techniques he says, 'I can make you jump much higher than that' and then he goes on to prove it."

Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., then remarks that according to Dr. Van Soudsteat, speaking at the 4th International Psychiatric Congress, Barcelona, one of the "tremendous increases in mental illnesses in this country today, is by virtue of the fact that. . . there is a tremendous increase in the 'accidental' hypnosis that is going on."⁵⁶

Other records produced by the Children's Record Guild include sleepy time records for children.⁵⁷ The child is supposed to be put to sleep by the record, but in reality is placed into a "state of hypnotic sleep." Dr. Bryan remarks: "Now when a suggestion is placed in your mind under such circumstances, you accept it, and you accept it with such a force that this can become a compulsion with you,⁵⁸ and that's one of the reasons why we see so many compulsions, so much compulsive behavior, and this is the cause of a lot of juvenile delinquency. . . the symptoms can be as varied as life itself. But the underlying cause is the same, mainly the accidental

hypnosis that is resulted in the acceptance of the subconscious suggestion which the patient is acting out."⁵⁹

In his analysis of a Young People's Record production entitled "Tom's Hiccups," Dr. Bryan comments: "Well, you've got a number of things here, in the first place, every bit of this has appeared both in the American and Russian psychiatric literature. First, you have symptom substitution. I think every psychiatrist is familiar with this. In other words, we can remove any symptom and another takes its place and you are placing in the child's mind the idea that this is exactly what's going to happen to him. As he has symptoms of things happening to him in the future, for instance, if he gets asthma or something, you remove asthma and he'll get migraine. If you remove the migraine, he'll get something else. In other words, it's placing difficulty in the way of treatment in any type of illness in the future. Whenever the child becomes ill, he will immediately have a sense of substitution occur so that he does become ill again. It's very insidious! The second thing here is that you have (the hiccups) right at the end to show that he never really gets over any of it; that he always is going to go around and around and around. The third thing he has told you is that the only real way to get rid of this is to forget it, in other words, to repress whatever started this to begin with which, of course, is another way of saying that you should forget it; then you're not able to remember the cause of your illness, and if you're unable to remember the cause, the illness goes on and on by itself as if you were unable to bring out the cause from the subconscious mind. The fourth thing bad about this is that it ties in all these things that actually produce the disease in people with songs which we all know,⁶⁰ so that every time the child hears these familiar tunes, he will be tempted to fall into one of these categories of illness, each one of these representing to the child the child's illness, but as he grows up and becomes an adult, then he will take on adult illnesses in the same fashion. What is now a harmless snore or yawn will turn into insomnia. What is only sneezing as a child will turn into hay fever or asthma as an adult. And what is merely a shaky voice as a child will turn into a chronic stutterer later on who is unable to get along, etc. And the hiccups may lead to alcoholism."⁶¹

Concluding his analysis of these communist records, Dr. Bryan states that these records are "breeding a tremendous race of people who are going to be mentally ill—it's terrible, really horrible, the scope of this thing is fantastic — this is for the age group 2 to 5."⁶² This is terrible, I've never seen anything so bad as this; scares you to death. You can see why when Khrushchev says, 'We're going to bury you, that we won't need to go to war, that we're going to have you in seven or eight years,' well, obviously, when these school pupils grow up, we won't be able to defend America. When you control the minds of the people that push the button on the A-bomb, what good is the bomb? Nothing. Well, it's very well known that illness has always been a great incapacitator, accounting for a greater percentage of any Army in any war than all the bombs and everything in the history of wars. And it's obvious that they're approaching it from this standpoint. And, if that's true, then why not make everybody sick⁶³ and unable to defend themselves? And the easiest way to cause it insidiously is through mental illness programs."⁶⁴

In his book, *The Impact of Science on Society*, Lord Bertrand Russell⁶⁵ says, "The social psychologist of the future will have a number of classes of school children on whom they will try different methods of producing an unshakable conviction that snow is black. Various results will soon be arrived at. First, that the influence of home is obstructive. Second, that not much can be done unless indoctrination begins before the age of ten. Third, that verses set to music and repeatedly intoned are very effective."⁶⁶ In apparent expectation he says, "It is to be expected that advances in physiology and psychology will give governments much more control over individual mentality than they now have even in totalitarian countries."⁶⁷

Verses set to music and repeatedly intoned are very effective. Lord Bertrand fully understands the impact of such records, and when one bears in mind the statement by Lecron and Bordeauz, "One interesting modern development (1947) in the induction of hypnosis is the use of the phonograph record,"⁶⁸ the communist plan to destroy us from within through menticide becomes evident.

But the communists' ingenuity in placing these records in hundreds of thousands of American homes and in thousands of schools in all 50 states and Canada is frightening. Since the American family and the American teacher would not knowingly purchase communist recordings designed to produce mentally sick children, the communists stepped back into the woodwork and allowed well-intentioned people to do their subversive work for them. Their effectiveness is staggering. Their influence is terrifying and a picture to behold.

The Book-of-the-Month Club has given its recommendation to these communist recordings put out by the Children's Record Guild.⁶⁹ How this organization was swindled into such an endorsement should make quite a story. Perhaps someday it will be told.

The *San Francisco Chronicle* states the following concerning Young People's Records: "These are highly superior productions, done with great intelligence, skill and simplicity, and infinitely finer than the drivel commonly purveyed on disks for children."⁷⁰

The *New York Times*, "printing all news fit to print," has given its endorsement to these communist recordings. On the jacket of some of Young People's Records is carried the *New York Times* recommendation, stating these communist records to be "Best in Children's records." On other records the following glowing endorsement is carried: "No company has surpassed the consistently high standards that Young People's Records has maintained for its product."⁷¹

Music Teachers' Quarterly goes so far as to state: "Deserves all praise and cooperation from every music teacher, every musician and every parent. . . Far-reaching educational value. . . One of the most wholesome developments in the history of recordings."⁷²

This Week Magazine states "Young People's Records do an inspired job. Recommended are all their releases."⁷³

Good Housekeeping and *Parents Magazine* have also guaranteed and endorsed both Young People's Records and Children's Record Guild records.

Both endorsements are carried on the jackets of the records for all to see. As Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., remarked: "And here it is, recommended by *Parents Magazine* and guaranteed by *Good Housekeeping*, how in the devil can they do this?" Dr. Bryan concludes with "*Parents Magazine*, boy, they certainly are all duped, aren't they?"⁷⁴

Harriet Johnson's Bank Street Schools⁷⁵ play these records to their children. Commenting on the effects of this music on these children,⁷⁶ one publication stated: "These children are reacting to a train song. A look at their faces shows that they are not pretending to be trains—they are trains! The right kind of musical material—in this case a train song with strong rhythmic accent⁷⁷ and simple, image-provoking words⁷⁸—communicates⁷⁹ itself⁸⁰ right to their muscles."⁸¹ When one recalls that conditioning affects three areas of the human body—muscles, glands and skin area—the conclusions to be drawn from this admission are rather evident.⁸²

Grade Teacher, a magazine for grade school teachers, has recommended these communist recordings put out under the Young People's Records label.⁸³

A catalog for teachers entitled "Phonograph Records and Filmstrips for Classroom and Library" carries the listings for these communist records. The teacher, however, could be easily deceived right from the start. In the foreword of this catalog one is told: "Most of the listings are the products of RCA Victor, Columbia, Encyclopedia Britannica Films and other leading companies."⁸⁴ Some of the records included in the word "most" are Young People's Records and Children's Record Guild records. These communist recordings are not marked in the catalog, but easily identified. RCA Victor and Columbia records sell for \$7.50; \$5.95 and \$4.98. The communist records, subsidized by Moscow, sell for \$1.24. Under one label we are even told that "Pete Seeger sings sixteen songs for singing and rhythmic participation,"⁸⁵ and since the price for this record is listed at \$5.95 it wouldn't surprise us to find this record under the RCA Victor or Columbia label.

An elementary school catalog published by Lyons, "the name that merits your confidence," openly endorses both Children's Record Guild records and Young People's Records.⁸⁶ Under the caption, Children's Record Guild, the catalog states: "This listing has been carefully prepared to be used as a tool by the teacher, supervisor or librarian who is looking for the finest on Records as Educational aids."⁸⁷ One of the records recommended is entitled "Little Puppet." Concerning this record, the catalog states, "Child imagines he's a puppet, imitates puppet gestures to rhythmic music of the French folk song 'La Petite Marionette.' Delightful lyrics suggest what he's to do."⁸⁸ Since these communist records were designed to nerve-jam children, create frustration and induce hypnotism leading to mental sickness and even physical illness, it seems a bit strange to have elementary school catalogs endorsing such records. And, since these communist record companies have been declared subversive in at least nine different investigations by the United States government and State committees on Un-American activities, there seems little excuse for these catalog companies to be ignorant of the facts. Whatever the excuse, the time to clean out these destructive little disks of mental illness is NOW! Our children are our sacred trust. Our Lord Jesus

Christ said, "But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea."⁸⁹ The minds of our little ones are being tampered with by the most cunning, diabolical conspiracy in the annals of human history.⁹⁰ Our immediate action, tempered with knowledge, wisdom and love, is of the utmost necessity.

But our younger children are not the only ones being tampered with by the communists. Our teenager⁹¹ is also being exploited. Exploited for at least three reasons: (a) his own demoralization;⁹² (b) to create in him mental illness through artificial neurosis and (c) to prepare him for riot⁹³ and ultimately revolution in order to destroy our American form of government and the basic Christian principles governing our way of life.

Four young men, noted for their tonsils and tonsure, are helping to bring about the above. When the Beatles conducted their "concert" in Vancouver, British Columbia, 100 persons were stomped, gouged, elbowed and otherwise assaulted during a 29-minute performance.

Nearly 1,000 were injured in Melbourne, Australia; in Beirut, Lebanon, fire hoses were needed to disperse hysterical fans.⁹⁴ In the grip of Beatle fever, we are told the teenagers weep, wail and experience ecstasy-ridden hysteria that has to be seen to be believed.⁹⁵ Also, we are told teenagers "bite their lips until they bleed and they even get over-excited and take off their clothes."⁹⁶ To understand what rock and roll⁹⁷ in general and the Beatles in particular are doing to our teenagers, it is necessary to return to Pavlov's laboratory. The Beatles' ability to make teenagers take off their clothes and riot is laboratory tested and approved.⁹⁸ It is scientifically labeled mass hypnosis⁹⁹ and artificial neurosis.¹⁰⁰

Ivan P. Pavlov, the eminent Russian physiologist, was invited to Moscow as the personal house guest of Nikolai Lenin, the father of the Bolshevik revolution. Pavlov expressed confidence that his findings on conditioned reflexes and inhibitions would be a blessing to mankind someday in its struggle against human ailments. Lenin had other plans. Remaining in Lenin's home for three months, Pavlov penned a 400-page manuscript for the communist dictator regarding his findings. Upon reading the manuscript, Lenin exclaimed to Pavlov, you have "saved the Revolution."¹⁰¹

"What Lenin," commented Edward Hunter, "did not tell Pavlov was that he had come to realize how impossible it was that he would ever obtain the people's willing co-operation in changing human nature and creating the 'new Soviet man.' He saw in Pavlov's discoveries a technique that could force it upon them."¹⁰²

Mr. Hunter observes the important fact that "Pavlov's manuscript, which became the working basis for the whole communist expansion-control system, has never left the Kremlin."¹⁰³

Pavlov, in his experiments on dogs, developed a variety of ways of creating neurotic animals.¹⁰⁴ By taking otherwise healthy animals, within a short period of time and with two conditioned reflexes, Pavlov was able to produce an artificially neurotic animal.^{105 106}

The experiment, although simple to relate, involves unlimited possibili-

ties. It contains, in fact, a scheme potent enough to destroy a generation of American youth through the use of certain kinds of destructive music, mixed with mass hypnosis.¹⁰⁷

Pavlov conditioned his dog to secrete saliva while a metronome beat 60 beats per minute. To accomplish this, the scientists did much the same things they did with our earlier reference to the flashing light. Each day while placing food before the animal, they beat the metronome at 60 beats per minute. One day they merely sounded the metronome and upon hearing the 60 beats per minute the dog began to secrete saliva. The beat of the metronome had taken the place of the food in the mind of the dog. This conditioned reflex implanted in the animal was termed the excitatory reflex.¹⁰⁸

Taking the same animal; Pavlov then implanted in the canine another reflex labeled the inhibitory reflex.¹⁰⁹ Here he conditioned the animal to never secrete saliva when the metronome tolled 120 beats per minute. This inhibitory reflex became so powerful¹¹⁰ in the animal that, should the metronome continue to beat at 120 per minute, the dog would actually starve to death while wallowing in food.

With his animal conditioned with an excitatory reflex and an inhibitory reflex, Pavlov placed both metronomes before the animal and beat them at the same time—one beating 60 beats per minute compelling the dog to secrete saliva; the other beating 120 per minute prohibiting the dog from secreting saliva. The nervous system of the animal, visibly shaken, weakens; but to complete the job, the two metronomes are switched—the one beating 60 beats per minute begins to beat 120 and the one beating 120 begins to beat 60. The animal at this point breaks down completely with a case of artificial neurosis.¹¹¹

This experiment is the archetype of our young teenagers who are being induced into artificial neurosis.¹¹² Attending a Beatle "concert," these young people already possess a built-in inhibitory reflex.¹¹³ This has been placed within them by their parents and society. This reflex includes such things as decent behavior; prohibiting the coed from taking off her dress in public; tearing up the auditorium and wreaking destruction.¹¹⁴

However, within 29 minutes the Beatles have these young people doing these very things. The destructive music of the Beatles¹¹⁵ merely reinforces the excitatory reflex of the youth to the point where it crosses the built-in inhibitory reflex.¹¹⁶ This in turn weakens the nervous system to a state where the youth actually suffers a case of artificial neurosis.¹¹⁷ And the frightening, even fatal, aspect of this mental breakdown process is the fact that these teenagers, in this excitatory, hypnotic state,¹¹⁸ can be told to do anything¹¹⁹ — and they will.¹²⁰

Dr. William Sargant¹²¹ states: "Once a state of hysteria has been induced in men or dogs by mounting stresses¹²² which the brain can no longer tolerate, protective inhibition is likely to supervene. *This will disturb the individual's ordinary conditioned behavior patterns.*"¹²³

Sargant further states: "Normally, it seems, the human nervous system, like the dog's, is in a state of dynamic equilibrium between excitation and inhibition.¹²⁴ But if subjected to excessive stimulation, it can pass into the

same state of excessive excitation or excessive inhibition which Pavlov described in dogs. *The brain then becomes incapable, for the time being, of its usual intelligent functioning.*"¹²⁵

Leonard Gilman¹²⁶ likewise mentions that Schonaur "makes clear that an increasing volume of sound in modern life—without adequate control of its character—is one of the causes of growing emotional instability in contemporary society."¹²⁷ Taken from their own book, the Beatles clearly state that they understand their kind of music¹²⁸—a music capable of causing emotional instability, disorganized behavior, riot and, eventually, revolution.

And, since our teenagers under Beatlemania will actually riot, it is imperative to understand the basic underlying philosophy of the Beatles. Are they susceptible to the enemies of our Republic? Are they religiously capable of wreaking havoc¹²⁹ for "social" reasons?

*The Saturday Evening Post*¹³⁰ furnishes some of the answers to these questions. "To British intellectuals the Beatles are carrying the banner of the British beat generation, and their success represents a breakthrough for the *social rebellion* the Beatles represent."¹³¹ Continuing, the *Post* writer states: "It's incredible, absolutely incredible," says Derek Taylor, the Beatles' press officer. 'Here are these four boys from Liverpool. They're rude, they're profane, they're vulgar, and they've taken over the world. It's as if they'd founded a new religion. They're completely anti-Christ. I mean, I'm anti-Christ as well, but they're so anti-Christ they shock me, which isn't an easy thing.'¹³²

In his radio broadcast for September 25, 1964, Dr. Billy James Hargis, reporting from London, England, mentioned in passing that "the beatnik crowd, represented by the Beatles, is the communist crowd." The truth of the matter is that many of the beatniks on our college campuses are communists firmly entrenched in atheistic literature and moral degeneration working for "social revolution."

The Beatles were sponsored in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, by a Mr. Nicholas Topping.¹³³ Nick described his operations (he runs the Topping & Co. International House on 2nd Street) as "making life interesting." In addition to selling international items, he also, in his limited quarters, runs a travel agency, handles the paintings of artist friends and sells pacifist literature. Nick also admits he is active in "freedom marches" in Milwaukee.

A personal friend of this writer went to the International House, run by Topping, and found not only pacifist literature, but communist literature as well. "Folk Song" books by Peter Seeger and Paul Robeson were for sale. Mr. Seeger was involved in the communist recording companies set up in this country in 1946.

In 1960, Nick and his friend Prof. Sidney Peck assisted M. Michael Essin with his April 1960 elections. Essin was a candidate for the office of City Attorney.

M. Michael Essin, according to the House Committee on Un-American Activities report of March 28, 29, 1955, lives at 623 North Second Street in Milwaukee. He was counsel for the communists who appeared before the Committee.¹³⁴

Nicholas Topping, in his attempt to make life interesting, also participated in an organization set up to defend "agrarian reformer" Castro.¹³⁵

The Beatles were in Seattle, Washington, for a "concert" in August 1964. "At 8:07 o'clock the show began. First came the Bill Black Combo, then the Exciters, and after them the Righteous Brothers. Next on the program was Jackie de Shannon, who sang 'Needles and Pins' and several other songs, as well as having the audience sing 'Happy Birthday' to her."¹³⁶

Burt McMurtrie, a radio personality in the Northwest and a pro-Beatle fan, had the following to say about the above "entertainers:" "Witness the utter trash of the program the promoters had the nerve to put on the bill with the Beatles. It was not only trash, it was lewd, disgusting, revolting and an insult to the money charged. A trio of colored women with a male companion indulged in such twisting and orgiastic jerks as to put an old time carnival belly dancer to shame.

"Two groups of male makeup were little better. I would term them the cheapest imitation of what the Beatles have set forth, and a disgrace in the copying.

"That entire evening seemed *designed* to arouse every animal and sex instinct in the audience up to uncontrollable pitch and just such did it accomplish.

"It was the old, down-by-the-river religious pitch a thousand times magnified. The sort of emotional lack of control, out-of-control found in a savage jungle. And it is not healthy."¹³⁷

Dr. Bernard Saibel, child guidance expert for the Washington State division of community services, attended the Seattle performance of England's Beatles at the request of the *Seattle Times*. The following is Dr. Bernard Saibel's report.

"The experience of being with 14,000 teenagers to see the Beatles is unbelievable and frightening.

"And believe me, it is not at all funny, as I first thought when I accepted this assignment.

"The hysteria and loss of control go far beyond the impact of the music. Many of those present became frantic, hostile, uncontrolled, screaming, unrecognizable beings.

"If this is possible—and it is—parents and adults have a lot to account for to allow this to go on.

"*This is not simply a release*, as I at first thought it would be, *but a very destructive process*¹³⁸ in which adults allow the children to be involved—allowing the children a mad, erotic world of their own without the reassuring safeguards of protection from themselves.

"The externals are terrifying. Normally recognizable girls behaved as if possessed by some demonic urge, defying in emotional ecstasy the restraints which authorities try to place on them.

"The hysteria is from the girls and when you ask them what it is all about, all they can say is, 'I love them.'

"There are a lot of things you can say about why the Beatles attract the teenage crowd.

"The music is loud, primitive,¹³⁹ insistent, strongly rhythmic,¹⁴⁰ and releases in a disguised way (can it be called sublimation?) the all too tenuously controlled, newly acquired physical impulses of the teenager.

"Mix this up *with the phenomena of mass hypnosis*,¹⁴¹ contagious hysteria,¹⁴² and the blissful feeling of being mixed up in an all-embracing, 'orgiastic experience, and every kid can become 'Lord of the Flies' or the Beatles.

"Why do the kids scream, faint, gyrate and in general look like a primeval, protoplasmic upheaval and go into ecstatic convulsions when certain identifiable and expected trade-marks come forth, such as 'O yeah!' a twist of the hips or the thrusting out of an electric guitar?¹⁴³

"Regardless of the causes or reasons for the behavior of these youngsters, it had the impact of an unholy bedlam, the like of which I have never seen. It caused me to feel that such should not be allowed again,¹⁴⁴ if only for the good of the youngsters.

"It was an orgy for teenagers."¹⁴⁵

As one writer put it: "This type of music, it appears, is just as dangerous and perhaps more insidious a weapon in the battle between Light and Darkness for the minds, bodies and souls of our young people, as are the salacious movies and pornographic literature on which the Parent-Teacher Associations, the clergy and other groups are waging an all-out attack."¹⁴⁶

Offhand it would look as if *Teen Magazine* agrees, for it states "... despite what your parents and music teachers may say, rock and roll is a musical artform—and the Beatles are better at it than anybody in the business."¹⁴⁷

The evidence, however, points in another direction. The music isn't "art-form" at all, but a very destructive process. Teenage mental breakdown¹⁴⁸ is at an all time high¹⁴⁹ and juvenile delinquency is nearly destroying our society.¹⁵⁰ Both are caused in part by emotional instability which in turn is caused in part by destructive music such as rock and roll and certain kinds of jazz.¹⁵¹ But no matter what one might think about the Beatles or the Animals or the Mindbenders, the results are the same—a generation of young people with sick minds,¹⁵² loose morals and little desire or ability to defend themselves from those who would bury them.¹⁵³

In conclusion, it seems rather evident to this writer that the communists have a master music plan for all age brackets of American youth. We know from documented proof that such is the case for babies, one and two year olds with their rhythmic music;¹⁵⁴ we know such is the case for school children with their rhythmic music¹⁵⁵ and for university students with their folk music.¹⁵⁶ What but rock and roll fits the teenager? This isn't saying that the communists have invented rock and roll or any other type of music, but they do in fact know how to use each type for their own purpose.

We are in the fight of our lives and the lives of our children. Action taken

now by concerned Christians and patriotic Americans is of the utmost importance.

Make sure your homes, churches, record shops and television stations¹⁵⁷ are not playing or selling Young People's Records or Children's Record Guild records. Make sure your schools are not using these communist records. Cybernetic warfare is the ultimate weapon and we can't afford one nerve-jammed child!

Throw your Beatle and rock and roll records in the city dump. We have been unashamed of being labeled a Christian nation;¹⁵⁸ let's make sure four mop-headed anti-Christ beatniks don't destroy our children's emotional and mental stability and ultimately destroy our nation as Plato warned in his Republic.¹⁵⁹

It is also inexplicably important that you inform your friends, neighbors, preachers, educators—in short—the whole nation. Circulate copies of this report!

And, what better way to reach the "uninformed" who listen to this "beat" music than by the very means they use to spread it—the radio! Support your Christian Crusade Network with your prayers, your encouragement, your work and your gifts. "Magna est veritas et praevalerebit."

FOOTNOTES

1. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 230.
2. Ibid, p. 229.
3. Ibid, p. 229.
4. William C. Bullitt, a Wilsonian liberal, was our first U. S. Ambassador to the Soviet Union. The quote used was taken from A Manual for Survival, p. 40. Church League of America publication, Wheaton, Illinois. For Bullitt's chilling account of the Communist massacre of 11,000 Czarist officers with their wives and children, see House Report No. 2189, Committee on Un-American Activities, p. 18, 19.
5. A few years back this was a near self-evident fact. Today the pseudoliberal is not so sure. For beginners' proof, The Naked Communist by W. Cleon Skousen and Masters of Deceit by J. Edgar Hoover are recommended.
6. American Opinion for Sept. 1964, p. 52. Dr. R. P. Oliver reviews In the Presence of My Enemies by John W. Clifford.
7. Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria. Footnote 13 will give background material on Luria. Pertinent quotes from his work will be used in context.
8. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 213. "An ideology so ruthlessly materialistic as communism would be at variance with its own philosophy if it failed to make use of drugs and hypnotism."
9. Republic, 424c.
10. Politics, 1339a; 1340a, b.
11. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 217. Perhaps the following accounts for part of our ignorance: "The exact role that hypnotism plays in brainwashing is much more difficult to trace than any other element, even drugs. A man knows when he's hungry or tired, when he's tense, under threats, or has been beaten up. But he can have undergone a great deal of hypnotism without having a suspicion of it."
12. Ivan Petrovitch Pavlov, late Director Physiological Laboratories, Institute of Experimental Medicine and Academy of Sciences, Leningrad; Late Professor of Physiology, Military Medical Academy, Leningrad; Member Academy of Sciences of the USSR; Foreign Member of Several Academies and Scientific bodies.
13. A. R. Luria, Professor of Psychology at the Academy of Communistic Education; Research Associate, State Institute of Experimental Psychology, Moscow.
14. K. I. Platonov, from 1925 to 1932 conducted experimental work in the laboratory of Physiology of Labor of the Ukrainian Psychoneurological Institute (headed by M. Denisenko); worked in the Physiological Laboratory of the Ukrainian Institute of Labor (headed by G. Volborth); worked in the Laboratory of Physiology of Higher Nervous Activity of the Department of Physiology of the Kharkov Pedagogical Institute (headed by Y. Katkov); later labored in a number of laboratories of the Central Clinical Psychoneurological Hospital of the Ministry of Railways.
15. Lectures on Conditioned Reflex, Ivan Pavlov, p. 25. "A new reflex is formed inevitably under a given set of physiological conditions, and with the greatest ease . . . With a complete understanding of all the factors involved, the new signaling reflexes are under the absolute control of the experimenter."
16. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 22.
17. Ibid., p. 240.
18. Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria, p. 335, 6. "Our experiments with the simple rhythmical reactions were conducted in children beginning at two and a half years of age and concluding with those of school age. The experiments made possible the establishment of certain peculiarities of the neurodynamical processes in the child, which serve as a foundation for further investigations.

"The technique of the experiment was very simple: the child was seated in front of a pneumatic apparatus, and he was told to make rhythmical pressures at any speed he desired.

"In older children this constituted the whole procedure; but in the very young ones (those too small to attend school), we reinforced the method by certain measures to ensure their observance of the instructions and their participation in the experiment. One of these was 'the paired experiment,' in which the child at first watched another child several years older running through the experiment; after this the younger one began to imitate him. This method gave excellent results. In certain cases we introduced the element of play, being careful, however, that this did not disturb the basic fundamental setting of the experiment itself.

"The instructions to make rhythmical movements, generally following one another rather rapidly, presupposes a fairly high development of the cortical processes; only with a fairly well-organized action of the motor cortex, with development of the higher cortical automatisms, could we reckon on obtaining an accurate picture of similar rhythmical pressures.

" . . . the first thing that strikes us in this material is that each beginning cortical process readily passes over in the young child to the subcortical mechanisms, rapidly depriving this process of its pure cortical character and involving intricate diffused processes. To trace these was not very difficult. The younger the child, the more clearly do we observe these processes."

p. 344. "In a number of experiments we have seen beyond doubt that the young child, three or four years old, is not capable of delaying its movements, and the reactions which the child gives in this experiment differ only slightly

from those which we obtained from him during the usual instructions. Evidently the impulsiveness of the child's reactive system is so powerful that to inhibit them is almost impossible for him . . .

"Every time we tried to produce in a young child a delayed pressure we saw a process having a definite conflicting character."

19. *Ibid.*, A. R. Luria, p. 210, 11. "We attempted to use automatic motor acts to produce this conflict by giving to the subject a definite speed of rhythmical motor reactions and then suddenly trying to change this rate when we gave a signal . . . The instruction to change to a slow tempo produced a collision of the prepared response with a conditioned signal of inhibition . . ."
20. *Ibid.*, A. R. Luria, p. xi in author's preface. " . . . it was necessary to create artificially effects and models of experiment neuroses which made possible an analysis of the laws lying at the basis of the disintegration of behavior."
21. American Institute of Hypnosis Journal, Oct. 1963, p. 12.
22. *op. cit.*, A. R. Luria, p. 220. Notice what one experiment produced: "The conflict which we bring out very often causes in the subject a considerable shock of the higher speech processes, which are accompanied by a rupture of the 'functional barrier' . . ."
23. The Word As A Physiological and Therapeutic Factor, K. I. Platonov, p. 11. "Soviet psychotherapy has developed under conditions entirely different from those in foreign countries and in pre-revolutionary Russia. It is being built on the basis of dialectical materialism, a materialist teaching of the higher nervous activity, the unity of the mind and body, and the determination of the consciousness by the conditions of life."
24. *Ibid.*, K. I. Platonov, p. 425f. In What Is Hypnosis by Andrew Salter, p. 2, we are informed as follows: " . . . it will be shown that hypnosis is an aspect of the conditioned reflex, probably the most undeniable fact of modern psychology."
25. Music and Your Emotions, Gilman and Paperte, p. 36. "I am quite convinced that our music activity reaches the subcortical centers of the brain, where other activities do not. . ."
26. American Journal of Diseases of Children, 1933; 45:355-370. In an article written by N. I. Krasnogorski, entitled "Conditioned Reflexes in the Psychopathology of Childhood," we find "In normally intelligent children the reflexes are easily conditioned."
27. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 238, "If brainwashing can make a single individual neurotic, what about the inhabitants of a village, or a city, or even a country. . . The only possible conclusion is that a long-range program is being pursued which, if left unhindered over a long period, will make whole populations just as neurotic as a single individual."
28. Brain-washing: A Synthesis of the Russian Textbook on Psychopolitics. Psychopolitics is defined as the art and science of asserting and maintaining dominion over the thoughts and loyalties of individuals, officers, bureaus, and masses, and the effecting of the conquest of enemy nations through "mental healing."
29. People's Songs, Inc. is to the college and university student what Young People's Records is to the kindergarten and early graders. It has since changed its name to People's Artists, Inc., but it's still listed as subversive and communistic.

The official publication of People's Artists, Inc., is Sing Out. The editor is Irwin Silber, identified by Harvey M. Matusow as a member of the Communist Party. (House Committee on Un-American Activities, Feb. 6, 1952, p. 3288)

People's Songs, Inc. (now People's Artists, Inc.) was incorporated January 31, 1946, in New York City. Among the directors and incorporators were such men as Peter Seeger, Lee Hays and Robert Claiborne. Its board of directors included such men as Woody Guthrie, Tom Glazer and Earl Robinson. As one document states: "Needless to say all of the productions of People's Songs, Inc., follow the Communist Party line as assiduously as do the people behind the organization." (Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 392)

The ABC-TV Hootenanny Song Book admits on page 6 that "It (folk songs revival) was a movement which grew slowly during the war years and in the post-war age gained momentum with the formation of a group known as People's Songs, Inc., an organization of folk song singers. It was under the auspices of People's Songs that the first 'Hootenannies' were presented on a large scale."

Little wonder former Senator Kenneth B. Keating stated on the Senate floor, " . . . I am stunned by the revelation that folk music is part of the Communist arsenal of weapons." (National Review Bulletin, March 3, 1964)

Peter Seeger has been clearly identified as a member of the Communist Party by Harvey M. Matusow. (House Committee on Un-American Activities, Feb. 6, 1952, p. 3286.) For those willing to research the background of Mr. Seeger, the following pages are suggested for your study in House Committee on Un-American Activities reports: g 1332, 2345, 2349, 2355, 2396, 2447-2460 (testimony), 4524, 5347, 7115, 7320, 7321; ge 54, 60, 70; h 668, 872, 2583; hab 87; i 1474, 1480; ik 124; is 51, 117; s 38, 49, 102, 105, 106, 110, 116; da 3286, 3288, 3297, 3310; dm 72.

Phil Ochs, writing in a Communist monthly publication, Mainstream, stated: "I have run across some people who seem to consider (Woody Guthrie) solely as a writer of great camp songs. They cannot fathom or don't want to fathom the political significance of a great part of his work." (National Review Bulletin, March 3, 1964)

For those willing to research the background of Mr. Guthrie, the following pages are suggested for your study in House Committee on Un-American Activities reports: a 8463; s 38, 43, 49, 102; da 3288, 3313; dm 71.

When Peter Seeger made the comment that "The guitar could be mightier than the bomb" (Young Folk Song Book, 1963, p. 19) he wasn't engaged in wishful thinking. The truth of the matter is that these men are proving their claim. And the Marxist ditties they sing, along with their tempo, are proving extremely effective. Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., mentions that "Sometimes a well known folksong's tempo will be changed to the same beat as the normal pulse beat which makes it more effective for induction." (American Institute of Hypnosis Journal, Oct. 1963, p. 3)

And now just fresh off the Fawcett Publication press comes a paperback book entitled Hootenanny Tonight. On the very first page of the book we find Peter Seeger and Woody Guthrie mentioned and on the second page we read the following: "However, I feel particularly indebted to Irwin Silber of Sing Out magazine for his cooperation and advice. Over the years, I have found Sing Out to be an extremely valuable source of ideas, information and just plain gossip about the world of folk music. If this sounds like a plug that's exactly what it's meant to be. I enthusiastically recommend Sing Out to everyone who enjoys this book. (Please write to Sing Out Inc., 165 West 46th Street, New York 36, N. Y., for more information.)"

Although the book contains many innocuous folk songs, it also carries some "loaded ones." On page 122 we have "The Suicide Song" with words like "Oh, come with me to the kitchen, to the kitchen, to the kitchen. Oh, come with me to the kitchen, and there a date with death we both will keep. Turn on the gas in the oven, in the oven, in the oven. Turn on the gas in the oven, and it will gently lull us both to sleep. Listen to the his-sing sounds, listen to the his-sing sounds. They're calling, gently calling, you and me. Listen to the his-sing sounds, listen to the his-sing sounds. We'll say goodbye and die in ecstasy."

On page 65 the following fear verse is given to a popular folk song: "The atom bomb fell just the other day. The H bomb fell in the very same way. Russia went—England went—and then the USA. The human race was finished without a chance to pray."

Peter Seeger and Woody Guthrie and Sing Out are found throughout the book. But, of course, the bait is swallowed if the book does nothing more than persuade its readers to write Sing Out.

It seems rather evident to this writer that the communists have a master music plan for all age brackets of American youth. We know from documented proof that such is the case for little children with their rhythmic music (Young People's Records and Children's Record Guild records) and for university students with their folk music (People's Songs, Inc., or People's Artists, Inc.). What but rock and roll fits the teenager? This isn't saying that the communists have invented rock and roll or any other types of music, but they do in fact know how to use each type for their own purposes.

30. Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 392.

31. Peter Seeger's Communist record is found in footnote 29.

32. Earl Robinson is presently engaged in promoting young singers to stardom in the folksong field. His latest star is Bob Dylan. He also writes musical arrangements for Young Folk Song Book, Simon and Schuster, New York, 1963, p. 12. Robinson's communist activity is staggering. In Appendix IX alone he is listed in volumes 1, 2 and 3 on pages 357, 360, 432f, 437, 451, 491, 574, 576, 781f, 786, 788, 792, 858, 931f, 942, 974, 1201f, 1254, 1357, 1557, 1561, 1636, 1651 and 1773. Some of the Communist fronts he affiliated himself with are: American Committee to Save Refugees, American Peace Mobilization, American Rescue Ship Mission, Artists' Front to Win the War, Hollywood Democratic Committee, Hollywood Writers Mobilization, International Workers Order, Jefferson School of Social Science, Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, League of American Writers, National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, National Federation For Constitutional Liberties, New Masses Letter to the President, Schappes Defense Committee, United American Artists, Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade and the Anti-Nazi Federation of New York.

In subsequent reports of the House Committee on Un-American Activities, Robinson is listed in the following: a 540; s 38, 102, 104, 108, 110, 116, 152; w 33, 189; x 246; bb 12, 16, 23; ca 2498; g 2357, 3827, 3923, 3983, 5216, 5261, 6197, 7115, 7128, 7141 etc. etc.; gc 34; gd 58; h 776-793 (testimony); hf 24, 52; hm 37-39.

33. Woody Guthrie's Communist record is found in footnote 29.

34. Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 392.

35. In a government publication entitled 100 Things You Should Know About Communism and Education, on page 16 we read: "Here are a few (Organizations) which have been declared subversive by the Attorney General, the Committee on Un-American Activities, or some other official investigating agency:" On page 17, Young People's Records is listed as a subversive organization. Young People's Records has also been cited in the following government reports: (1) H. C. U. A. "Testimony of Walter Steele." July 21, 1947, pages 100, 101, 106; (2) H. C. U. A. "100 Things You Should Know About Communism," 1953 House Document No. 136, p. 61; (3) H. C. U. A. "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications," 1951 House Document No. 137, p. 126; (4) H. C. U. A. "Communist Activities Among Youth Groups" Feb. 6, 7, 1952, pp. 3298 and 3299; (5) House Report No.

- 2516, 1952, p. 71; (6) H. C. U. A. "Communism in the New York Area" June 1958, "Testimony of Horace Grenell, President of Young People's Records," p. 2575-2579 (four solid pages of 1st and 5th Amendment refusals to testify; (7) Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, Scope of Soviet Activities in the United States, Part 27, Testimony of Bella Dodd, June 14, 1958, p. 1477,78; (8) Un-American Activities in California—Fourth Report, 1948, "Communist Front Organizations," p. 390-392; (9) Un-American Activities in California, Fifth Report, 1949, p. 379.
36. Los Angeles Evening Herald Express, Oct. 23, 1961. "Among the 50 records recommended for use in classroom work are records made by Young People's Record Company and its subsidiary, The Children's Record Guild."
37. (1) Dr. W. Horsley Gantt; (2) William H. Harris; (3) Walter B. Cannon and (4) Adolph Meyer.

(1) Dr. W. Horsley Gantt: Translated A. R. Luria's work *Nature of Human Conflict*. In the translator's preface, Dr. Gantt states: "My sojourn of six years in the Union of Soviet Socialistic Republics as the first American following the Revolution to do extended research in the laboratories and medical institutes of the new Russia just emerging from chaos, my intimate and cordial relations there with the scientists and my admiration of their zealous strivings and achievements, together with my natural interest in the problems Luria illuminates, have made the opportunity to cooperate in the presentation of another scientific book from Russia too great a temptation to let pass."

Gantt is professor emeritus of psychiatry, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. At the school, Dr. Gantt translated and edited Ivan Pavlov's work *Lectures on Conditioned Reflexes* published by a Communist press here in the States, International Publishers. Title page of work contains the following: "Translated and edited by W. Horsley Gantt, M. D., B. SC. Medical Director Leningrad Unit American Relief Administration, 1922,23; Co-worker in Pavlov's laboratory, Institute Experimental Medicine, 1925-29; Associate in Psychiatry and Director Pavlovian Laboratory, Johns Hopkins University."

Dr. Gantt's Communist front activity is spelled out in Appendix IX: On pages 366, 368, 475, 1104, 1202, 1249, 1338, 1450 and 1603, one finds Dr. Gantt sponsoring the following Communist fronts: American Council on Soviet Relations, American Propaganda Agencies For the Soviet System, Greetings to the Red Army on its 26th Anniversary, National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, National Federation for Constitutional Liberties, National Wartime Conference of the Professions, the Sciences, the Arts, the White-collar Fields, Writer for Communist Party and Party line publications such as *Soviet Russia Today*, *New Masses*, *New Republic*.

(2) William H. Harris: Mr. Harris in 1940 was the Communist Party Candidate for State Assembly of Pennsylvania, Appendix IX, p. 1411.

(3) Walter B. Cannon: Took part in writing *Physiological Basis of Psychiatry*, and wrote the introduction to Pavlov's work *Lectures on Conditioned Reflex*. At the time, he was the George Higginson Professor of Physiology, Harvard University.

Dr. Cannon's Communist front activity can be comprehended by referring to the following pages in Appendix IX: 328, 330, 335f, 349, 353, 358f, 369, 380, 382, 489, 669, 689, 941, 944, 977, 980, 1200, 1203, 1212, 1338, 1611, 1648 and 1702. These pages include some of the following Communist fronts cited by the United States Government: American Committee for Democracy and Intellectual Freedom; American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born; American Committee to Save Refugees; American Council on Soviet Relations; American Friends of Spanish Democracy, etc.

(4) Dr. Adolph Meyer: According to *Experimental Basis for Neurotic Behavior* by Gantt, "The Pavlovian Laboratory was started in 1929 on the initiative of Dr. Adolph Meyer." (see foreword) Dr. Meyer's communist front activity, according to Appendix IX, includes the following: American Council on Soviet Relations, American Propaganda Agencies for the Soviet System, Greetings to the Red Army on its 26th Anniversary.

38. (1) Genevieve Taggard; (2) Douglas Moore; (3) Mary F. Langmuir; (4) Howard Hanson; (5) William Schuman; (6) Randolph Smith.

(1) Genevieve Taggard: Her communist front activities span Appendix IX on the following pages: 354, 375, 480, 487, 520, 535, 589, 641, 657, 732, 758, 939, 968, 974, 977, 1006, 1128, 1150, 1163, 1202, 1340, 1351, 1391, 1456, 1460, 1602f, 1617, 1640, 1604 and 1772. The Eighth Report of the Senate Investigating Committee on Education, 1951, Senate of the State of California, lists her on pages 52 and 56. Fourth Report Un-American Activities in California, 1948, finds her on pages 97, 114, 181, 194, 227, 228, 244, 270, 274, 277, 390 and 391.

(2) Douglas Moore: Appendix IX lists Moore on the following pages: 348, 1252. In the Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, he is listed on pages 240, 317, 331 and 390.

(4) Howard Hanson: Appendix IX lists Hanson on page 1139 with the Musicians' Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy. The Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, lists him on pages 311, 317, 390 and 391.

(5) William Schuman: Appendix IX on page 1338 with the National Wartime Conference of the Professions, the Sciences, the Arts and the White-collar Fields. H. C. U. A. Fourth Report, 1948, p. 331.

(6) Randolph Smith: Appendix IX lists Smith on pages 1110, 332, 334, 1126, 1237, 1366.

39. (1) Edith Sidorsky; (2) Lucy Mitchell; (3) Raymond Albrashkin; (4) Thomas Glazer; (5) Eleanor Reich; (6) Leone Adelson; (7) Jay Williams; (8) Alex North; (9) Sam Wanamaker; (10) Charity Bailey; (11) Jack Elliott; (12) Peter Seeger; (13) Woody Guthrie; (14) Jean Ritchie; (15) Huddle Ledbetter; (16) Cisco Houston; and (17) Alan Lomax.

(1) Edith Sidorsky: Former instructor at the Harriet Johnson Bank Street Schools and Riverside Church Nursery Schools.

(2) Lucy Mitchell: Quoted as an authority on children's records by the Book-of-the-Month Club. Used to promote Children's Record Guild records through the Book-of-the-Month Club. See Book-of-the-Month Club's *Your Child Is Musical*, p. 1. Appendix IX lists Lucy Mitchell on pages 638, 660, 694, 1006, 1008, 1110 and 1202.

40. (1) American Council on Soviet Relations; (2) Communist Party Candidates; (3) National Wartime Conference—Sponsors; (4) Communist Party Publications—writers; (5) "Soviet Russia Today"—writers; (6) National Council on American-Soviet Friendship—Open letter; (7) American Committee For Democracy and Intellectual Freedom; (8) Abolish the Dies Committee; (9) American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born; (10) American Committee to Save Refugees; (11) Committee For Defense of Public Education; (12) The Teachers Union Arts Committee; (13) American Peace Mobilization; (14) American Propaganda Agencies For the Soviet System; (15) American Youth Congress; (16) Musicians Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy; (17) Artists Front To Win The War; (18) International Workers Order; (19) People's Songs Inc.; (20) Joint Anti-Refugee Committee; (21) League of American Writers; (22) League of Women Shoppers.

41. "How the Communists Control Thoughts and Attitudes," Herbert A. Philbrick, *Freedom Forum XIX*, Searcy, Arkansas, April 7, 1958. "I learned as a member of the Communist Party—sitting in these deeply conspiratorial meetings night after night—that the Communists concentrate a great deal on something which they call Pavlovian psychiatry. Sometimes they refer to it as Soviet psychiatry."

42. "It is surprising how much of the meaning of a song is absorbed by a child while singing it. The message of some contemporary 'folk' songs carries greater weight in song than in plain language. These songs make a deeper and a more lasting impression than twenty lectures on the same subject." Columnist Jack Lotto, writing on the indoctrination of children through songs, quoted a pro-Communist magazine. Taken from *FACTS*, Vol. XI, No. 6, p. 7. Editor and Publisher is Frances P. Bartlett, P. O. Box 2056-D, Pasadena, Cal.

The following, while not directed to children, gives abundant evidence of the Communist use of music: "Red China is singing herself into the Communist ideology. Mrs. Inez McLaughlin told the Port Angeles Reading Club Friday. . . Mrs. McLaughlin reviewed the book 'The Power of Song' by F. Olin Stockwell. The author was a prisoner of the Red Chinese for over two years at a center where the government was training its cadre.

"He said that after a morning of studying Communist doctrines prisoners spent the afternoon in mass singing. The songs were catchy, easy-to-remember tunes combined with words in the communist theme and propaganda.

"In this way, the author said, the government is able to sing itself into the minds and hearts of the trainees and prisoners. This method is being used in the schools, offices and armies of Red China.

"Mrs. McLaughlin said that song has power whether it is patriotic, religious or folk music. It grips the emotions and these emotions determine people's actions often more than logical thought does.

"According to Stockwell, 'If we would win over the Communists, we must not only out-think them, out-live them, but out-sing them.'" *Port Angeles Evening News*, November 14, 1961, p. 4.

43. The Progressive Book Store at 1806 West Seventh Street in Los Angeles, California, is managed by Frank Spector. House Report No. 259, "Report on the Southern California District of the Communist Party," April 3, 1959.

Fourth Report Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 222, "Frank Spector was subpoenaed and appeared before the committee in Los Angeles on Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1948. He stated that he was born in Russia and that he is an alien. . . On Sept. 14, 1939, he was appointed organizer for the Communist Party in San Francisco County. . . He was connected with Herbert K. Sorrell (identified by Walt Disney as a Communist) in the recent Hollywood strikes."

44. Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 390.

45. American Institute of Hypnosis Journal, Oct. 1963, p. 14.

46. The Word as a Physiological and Therapeutic Factor, K. I. Platonov, p. 26, ". . . we very well know that monotonous, lengthy and rhythmic sounding of a lullaby, the ticking of a clock, the rustle of trees, the rhythmic and protracted stimulation by a weak source of light, or long-continued rocking which stimulates the vestibular apparatus of the internal ear, and stroking some part of the body—all invariably aid in the development of sleep inhibition in the stimulated cortical cells. . ."

47. Contained in letter sent to Mrs. Irene E. Johnson, Route 3, Box 1292, Port Angeles, Washington. Dated November 8, 1963. We have the letter on file.

48. Los Angeles Evening Herald Express, Oct. 23, 1961. Interestingly enough, the writer of the article entitled "New UN Book Key to Children's One World Ideas" makes mention of the fact that the only two record companies the UN endorses

- are both cited as communist. In fact, Stan Progar states: "developed in Russia and financed in America."
49. Contained in letter also sent to Mrs. Irene E. Johnson. We have the letter on file.
 50. Same technique is used in folk music by the Communists. Dr. Wm. J. Bryan, Jr., states: "Sometimes a well-known folksong's tempo will be changed to the same beat as the normal pulse beat which makes it more effective for induction." American Institute of Hypnosis Journal, Oct. 1963, p. 3.
 51. While pulse rating is always approximate, adults are usually in the 60's; teenagers in the 70's; children in the 80's and infants anywhere from 100 to 120.
 52. Contained in a 6 page transcript taken by a stenographer on Oct. 24, 1961. The transcript embodies Dr. Bryan's remarks concerning Children's Record Guild and Young People's Records. The transcript is in our files—space prohibits us from printing the whole text. These records have also been analysed by Mr. J. D. Riggins, P. O. Box 1105, San Jacinto, California. Mr. Riggins is a former civilian specialist in U. S. Army Electronic Countermeasures and fully versed in the field of hypnotism and related subjective behavior control phenomena.
 53. op. cit., K. I. Platonov, p. 46. "It is known that a successful induction of sleep in one person in the presence of another who is not suggestible aids in putting the latter to sleep according to the mechanism of the initiative reflex."
 54. Conditioned Reflex Therapy, Andrew Salter, p. 20, "Hypnosis is a term of convenience which has become attached to certain aspects of conditioning. It is all conditioning, and when this is constantly kept in mind hypnosis—or, more broadly, conditioning—becomes an instrument of the most fantastic power, and the person under treatment needs, neither faith, nor hope, nor confidence. . ."
 55. Contained in letter sent to Mr. Dean Riggins on April 15, 1964. We have the letter on file.
 56. Contained in transcript of Dr. Bryan's analysis of these communist records. We have transcript on file.
 57. See footnote 46.
 58. Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria, p. 240. "We undertook to produce synthetically a complete model of a stable neurosis. . .
 "All the difficulties which we have referred to might be successfully removed by the help of the hypnotic method. In hypnosis we can count on obtaining a conflict of fair stability and intensity. . .
 "The hypnotic method opens up for us some very interesting possibilities, capable of helping us in the experimental setting to obtain those stable conflicts which are limited in their influence by the artificially provoked model of neurosis. . .
 "We may easily cause a collision between our suggested activity and the natural setting of the personality; we may investigate the stages in which the personality orients himself to the suggested intrusion as to something extraneous, and this conflict conditions the deep-lying neurodynamic changes. We may further oppose the activity produced in the hypnotic state by the subsequent instructions given in the waking state, excluding the free manifestation of the former activity; then we have a collision of activities characterised by compulsion or tension with a sub-conscious motive. Finally, we can introduce into the psyche of the subject the entire conflicting process by suggestion during hypnosis two equally obligatory and opposed tendencies: for example, having made the subject incapable of expressing something imperative for him.
 "In all these cases we are able artificially to produce a model of compulsion and to oppose it by some physiological measure, beginning with a natural reaction of the personality and ending with a motor delay called out in a state of hypnosis. It is obvious that for the artificial creation of acute processes of disorganized human behavior, and for a study of its laws, the situation of the hypnotic experiment offers many favourable opportunities."
 59. Contained in Dr. Bryan's transcript which we have on file.
 60. "Oh, Suzanna," "How Dry I Am," "The Merry Widow Waltz" and "The Stein Songs."
 61. Contained in Dr. Bryan's transcript which we have on file.
 62. op. cit., A. R. Luria, p. 335,6. "Our experiments with the simple rhythmical reactions were conducted in children beginning at two and a half years of age. . ."
 Additional study has now brought the usefulness of these records down to babies! The Record label is Pram and on the jacket of the Pram records we are told that "Pram Records. . . (are) A product of Young People's Records, Inc." On the jacket we are told, "Pram Records are for babies. Their subjects, concepts and languages are directed specifically to one and two-year olds. Their music, while interesting and varied, is simple enough to fall within the listening and understanding range of the youngest. Pram Records have been tested and retested with hundreds of babies, with excellent results. . . The best way for a parent to help with Pram Records is by example—by joining with the child in carrying out the activity aspects of the records. . ."
 63. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 238. "If brainwashing can make a single individual neurotic, what about the inhabitants of a village, or a city, or even a country. . . There is no doubt any longer that this type of mind attack is being waged against entire populations. . ."
 64. Contained in Dr. Bryan's transcript which we have on file.
 65. Bolshevism: Theory and Practice, Bertrand Russell, p. iv, admits he is a com-

- munist. Lord Russell is a member of the Fabian Society of Great Britain—an organization of Red-fronters and atheists. See *Fabianism In the Political Life of Britain 1919-1931*, Dr. M. Margaret Patricia McCarran, and Keynes at Harvard, Veritas Foundation, 150 East 35th Street, New York 16, N. Y.
66. The Impact of Science on Society, Bertrand Russell, p. 29,30.
 67. *Ibid.*, p. 49,50.
 68. American Institute of Hypnosis Journal, Oct. 1963; p. 13.
 69. Book-of-the-Month Club News for January, 1952. "A check of the authors promoted through the Book-of-the-Month Club against the indices of government investigating bodies showed that over 30% of the authors of the selections and dividend books of the Book-of-the-Month Club from 1928 through 1957 had communist front affiliations." The Great Deceit, Veritas Foundation, p. 52. Also, "Such poisonous socialist and communist propaganda items as Bernard Shaw's *Intelligent Woman's Guide to Socialism* and the official Soviet text of New Russia's Primer were distributed by the hundreds of thousands due to the impetus given to them by the Book-of-the-Month Club."
 70. Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California, 1948, p. 390.
 71. Carried on the jacket of the records.
 72. Carried on the jacket of the records. Not all records carry it, of course.
 73. Carried on the jacket of the records that we have on file.
 74. Contained in Dr. Bryan's transcript which we have on file.
 75. Dr. Randolph Smith (see footnote 38-6); Edith Sidorsky (see footnote 39-1); Lucy Sprague Mitchell (see footnote 39-2) and Eleanor Reich (see footnote 39-5) are or have been members of the teaching staff of the Bank Street Schools.
 76. Music and Your Emotions, Gilman and Paperte, p. 28. "Experiments of Fere, Tartchanoff, Diserens, and Scripture included studies of the effects of the sound stimulus upon the skeletal muscles. Using musical selections as the stimulus, Tartchanoff observed that (1) music exercises a powerful influence on muscular activity, which increases or diminishes according to the character of the melodies employed; (2) when music is sad or of a slow rhythm, and in the minor key, the capacity for muscular work decreases to the point of ceasing entirely if the muscle has been fatigued from previous work. The general conclusion is that sounds are dynamogenic or that muscular energy increases with the intensity and pitch of the sound stimuli. Isolated tones, scales, motifs, and simple tonal sequences have all been found to have an energizing effect upon the muscles." Ivan Pavlov found only three areas of the human body to condition: (1) muscles; (2) glands and (3) skin area. These Communist records for children condition the muscles!
 77. *Ibid.*, Gilman and Paperte, p. 32. "In producing a given affective state, melody plays a very small part in expressing musical meaning. The difference in expressiveness for certain melodies is generally attributed to their rhythm, tempo, etc., instead of the pitch pattern of the successive tones."
 78. Conditioned Reflex Therapy, Andrew Salter, p. 17. "... it is a truism to say that the movements of our muscles are associated with the sensory information we receive from without. Consequently, words with their corresponding muscular associativity easily produce conditioned muscular responses in the much-practiced motor system of the body."
 79. *Ibid.*, Salter, p. 18. "The complicated phenomena of post-hypnotic suggestion are nothing but a series of conditioned speech and muscle acts."
 80. *op. cit.*, Gilman and Paperte, p. 35. "... rhythmic stimuli, muscular tensions are set up which seek an immediate release through physical motion. ... emotional response, which is the awakening of various moods. ... by different types of music. ..."
 81. Your Child is Musical, Children's Record Guild pamphlet distributed by the Book-of-the-Month Club, Inc., p. 5.
 82. Human Use of Human Beings, Norbert Wiener, p. 17. "Man is immersed in a world which he perceives through his sense organs. Information that he receives is co-ordinated through his brain and nervous system until, after the proper process of storage, collation, and selection, it emerges through effector organs, generally his muscles." Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria, p. 342. "... such an effect is generally seen in the child. His movements customarily reflect directly the intensiveness of the given stimulus; the strengthening of the stimulus brings about the marked reactive impulse, the stimulus having a certain normal intensity, passes over into a state of shock and exhibits a disturbed motor reaction."
 83. Grade Teacher, Feb. 1962, p. 122.
 84. Educational Record Sales, 157 Chambers Street, New York 7, N. Y., p. 1.
 85. *Ibid.*, p. 18.
 86. Lyons Elementary School Catalog, 223 West Lake Street, Chicago 6, Illinois.
 87. *Ibid.*, p. 55 in the 1962-1963 catalog.
 88. *Ibid.*, p. 57 in the 1962-1963 catalog.
 89. Matthew 18:6.
 90. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 285. "Surely there can no longer be a trace of doubt that brainwashing is sheer evil. The fight against it is the culminating issue of all time, in which every human being is a protagonist. There can be neither escape nor neutrality where such responsibilities lie."

91. Today's teenagers were the first victims of the rhythm activity records in the elementary grades. The reflex was established at this early age; the modern music of rock and roll seems designed to reinforce the established conditioned reflexes. See concluding remarks in footnote 29.
92. *Seattle Post Intelligencer*, Oct. 30, 1964, "Dr. Ronald Sprenger said in his annual report that popular beat music was obviously stimulating (as one can note in any gathering of girls when one of the many beat groups is in full session) sexual delinquency among teenagers. He said mass hysteria affects many teenagers to the point where they lack any thought about their immediate welfare."
93. *Reader's Digest*, November 1964, p. 184. "Rock 'n' roll is always doing two things at once. If it seems to be encouraging riot and destruction, note that it is also dissipating riotous and destructive impulses before they can be turned into action." The first half of the above is true; the latter false. One need only turn to the newspapers and read the aftermath of a rock 'n' roll show. The *Long Beach Independent* for Oct. 24, 1964, reads across the top: "Police Close Frenzied Arena Show." The first paragraph reads: "More than a dozen policemen fought a valiant but losing 'battle' with 5,000 frenzied, screaming teenage girls in the Long Beach Arena Friday night before halting the show in self-defense. . . Time and time again, girls stormed the stage of the rock-and-roll concert given by the Pacemakers and Billy Jay Kramer."
94. *Chicago Sun-Times*, Sept. 5, 1964, p. 24 and *Saturday Evening Post* for Aug. 8, 1964.
95. *Seattle Post Intelligencer*, Aug. 22, 1964, p. 6.
96. *Daily Oklahoman*, Saturday, Sept. 19, 1964, p. 1,2.
97. *American Mercury*, Sept. 1961, p. 46. "An authority has stated that music that is constructive contains always beautiful melody, wonderful rhythm and marvelous harmony; for all constructive sound is comfortable to the feelings, forever producing ecstasy, alertness and peace, energizing the mind and body, facilitating balance and self-control in the listener. 'The purity of music is even more important than the purity of drugs and chemicals,' says James Girard, eminent Boston psychologist.
 "This brings us to the second factor emphasized by Dr. Altshuler as being of vast importance: the structural elements of music. . . man is essentially a rhythmical being, he states. 'There is rhythm in respiration, heart beat, speech, gait, etc. The cerebral hemispheres are in a perpetual state of rhythmical swing day and night.' There must be a condition of harmony or perfect balance between the mental, emotional and physical operations of the organism if it is to function efficiently.
 "It is precisely at this point that rock and roll and much of the modern music becomes potentially dangerous. This is because, to maintain a sense of well-being and integration, it is essential that man is not subjected too much to any rhythms not in accord with his natural bodily rhythms.
 "Howard Hanson supports this theory in 'Some Objective Studies of Rhythm in Music' published in the *American Journal of Psychiatry*: 'The mass hysteria of the modern jam session indicates—at times, all too clearly, the emotional tension producible by subjecting groups of people to concentrated doses of rhythm,' or rather as he explains later, to certain types of rhythm.
 "The further the tempo, or number of beats per minute, is accelerated above the normal pulse rate of 72 per minute, the greater the emotional tension generated. . .
 "The normal easy meter—meter being the same in music as poetry, the relationship of the accented to the unaccented beat—the meter like that of a waltz is 1 2 3 1 2 3, or a fox trot 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4. But with the advent of the 20th Century, the meters began to gallop brokenly, stirrup to stirrup with harmonic dissonance and discord in the melodic line, through the gamut of assorted type of jazz, including rag, swing, jitterbug and finally to the infamous bop and rock and roll. By this time the meter began to appear something like this:

$$\begin{array}{r} 1\&2\&3 \quad 4 \\ 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \end{array}$$

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 "A broken meter in the treble, played over an insistent regular beat in the left hand, with gradually increasing rapidity almost to the point of frenzy, such as the above types, is capable of producing the identical disintegrating and almost hysterical effect on an organism; as if a person would try to rush madly in two directions at the same time.
 "Any psychiatrist knows that it is precisely this two-directional pull of conflicting drives and emotions that is helping to fill our mental hospitals with broken wrecks of humanity."
98. Whether the Beatles realize exactly what they are doing or not is moot since the results are the same.
99. *Seattle Daily Times*, August 22, 1964, p. 1. "Mix this up with the phenomena of mass hypnosis, contagious hysteria and the blissful feeling of being mixed up in an all-embracing, orgiastic experience and every kid can become 'Lord of the Flies' or the Beatles." Above was reprinted in the *Chicago Tribune*, August 26, 1964. The article by Dr. Bernard Saibel is entitled: "Finds Beatles Incite Orgy of Teen Madness."
100. *Lectures on Conditioned Reflex*, Ivan Pavlov, 1928 edition, chp. 36. Also, *Nature of Human Conflict*, A. R. Luria, p. xi in Author's Preface. For details by Luria on how to bring about artificial or experimental neurosis, see pages 209,210 and 211.

101. Brainwashing, Edward Hunter, p. 40.
102. *ibid.*, p. 40.
103. *ibid.*, p. 40.
104. Battle For The Mind, William Sargant, p. 35,36.
105. Sometimes referred to as "experimental neurosis." *op. cit.*, A. R. Luria, p. ix.
106. *op. cit.*, Pavlov, 1928 edition, chp. 36.
107. See footnote 99.
108. Lectures on Conditioned Reflex, Ivan Pavlov, p. 398. "... excitation is generally without aim and without result—so to speak, crudely mechanical."
109. *ibid.*, Pavlov, p. 68. "In extinction the positive conditioned stimulus is temporarily transformed into a negative or inhibitory one by the simple method of repeating it several times in succession without reinforcement."
110. Experimental Basis for Neurotic Behavior, W. Horsley Gantt, p. 17. "... the conditioned reflexes often become more powerful than the unconditioned upon which they are based."
111. *op. cit.*, Pavlov, p. 397. "In the dog two conditions were found to produce pathological disturbance by functional interference, namely, an unusually acute clashing of the excitatory and inhibitory processes, and the influence of strong and extraordinary stimuli. In man precisely similar conditions constitute the usual causes of nervous and psychic disturbances. Different conditions productive of extreme excitation, such as intense grief or bitter insults, often lead, when the natural reactions are inhibited by the necessary restraint, to profound and prolonged loss of balance in nervous and psychic activity. So, too, neuroses and psychoses may develop as a result of different powerful stimuli." Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria, p. 209. "In our attempt to evoke a conflict of the setting from the very first we proceeded along a simpler path. In order to cause disorganization in human behavior we decided it would be sufficient to perform in the human an experiment similar to Pavlov's in the animal, in which he brings together two opposite reflexes or two motor activities."
112. Nature of Human Conflict, A. R. Luria, p. 228. "The disorganization of the behavior is the consequence of an inhibited adequate exit of activity. . . affect can come only from a conflict arising in the active sphere. Again by the synthetic path, we approach one of the most important proofs connected with the mechanics of the disorganization of human behavior."
113. *op. cit.*, Pavlov, p. 395. "It is obvious that the different kinds of habit based on training, education and discipline of any sort are nothing but a long chain of conditioned reflexes. We all know how associations, once established and acquired between definite stimuli and our responses, are persistently and, so to speak, automatically reproduced, sometimes even although we fight against them."
114. *op. cit.*, Luria, p. 355. "We would do well to recall Pavlov's words 'there are two ways of acting—rational acting' and 'acting (perhaps directly through sub-cortical connections) under the influence of a tendency alone with preliminary control,' i.e., acting according to Affect, Impulsively."
115. See footnote 97.
116. See footnote 111.
117. *op. cit.*, Pavlov, p. 396. "Contemporary medicine distinguishes 'nervous' and 'psychic' disturbances—neuroses and psychoses, but this distinction is, of course, only arbitrary. No real line of demarcation can be drawn between these two groups. . ."
118. Battle For The Mind, William Sargant, see picture opposite p. 169.
119. What is Hypnosis, Andrew Salter, p. 355. "Conditioned reflexes in dogs—and what is more to the point, in human beings—do not involve volitional thinking. Once the conditioned reflex is trained into the subject of the experiment, he becomes a pure automaton to the non-genuine stimulus that has been woven into the reflex."
120. Some contend that individuals will not act contrary to their morals, but Pavlovian scientists have found this to be a mistaken notion. Experiments were conducted in which subjects actually threw acid in the faces of their friends. Heavy glass protected the friends, *Journal of Abnormal and Social Psychology*, 1939, 34:114-117, article by L. W. Rowland entitled "Will Hypnotized Persons Try To Harm Themselves or Others." *Journal of Psychology*, 1941, 11:63-102, article by W. R. Wells entitled, "Experiments in the Hypnotic Production of Crime." *Psychiatry*, 1942, 5:49-61, article by M. Brenman entitled "Experiments in the Hypnotic Production of Anti-Social and Self-Injurious Behavior." *Journal of Abnormal Social Psychology*, 1947, p. 256ff., Dr. John G. Watkins reported experiments that show that "under deep trance, hallucinations can be set up which will cause some subjects to commit 'socially criminal acts,' even to the extent of murder." He also found that under hypnosis members of the armed forces (although forewarned, in some cases, of what would be attempted) would betray military secrets and try to murder their commanding officers. Also see *Conditioned Reflex Therapy* by Salter, p. 10f.
121. As a fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, Dr. William Sargant first came to the United States in 1938 to work at Harvard and the Massachusetts General Hospital on a Rockefeller Foundation grant. Since then he has been a frequent invited visitor to the United States. A former president of the section of psychiatry of the Royal Society of Medicine, he is in charge of the department of psychological

medicine at one of London's oldest and most famous general teaching hospitals. *Atlantic Monthly*, July, 1964, p. 88-95, recently published one of his articles entitled, "Psychiatric Treatment."

122. *Outlines of Psychology*, Wilhelm Wundt, p. 162f. "... observed that each beat of a given tempo is followed by a rising nervous and muscular tension, on the part of the hearer, in anticipation of the beat to follow. With the succeeding beat the tension would drop and then immediately begin to rise again in anticipation of the next beat. He also observed that a slowing of the tempo, and abrupt halt, or an abrupt change of tempo caused a considerable increase in nervous tension." *Nature of Human Conflict*, A. R. Luria, p. 210, "We attempted to use automatic motor acts to produce this conflict by giving to the subject a definite speed of rhythmical motor reactions and then suddenly trying to change this rate when we gave a signal."
123. *Battle For The Mind*, William Sargant, p. 59.
124. *Experimental Basis For Neurotic Behavior*, W. Horsley Gantt, p. 8, 9. "If I have produced a process of excitation and now limit it with one of inhibition, this is trying on the animal; it begins to whine and bark and attempts to free itself from the stand. The only reason for this is that I have brought about a difficult balancing of the processes of excitation and inhibition. Let any one of us consider his own personal life and experiences and he will find many similar examples. If, for example, I am occupied with something, i.e., I am under the influence of a definite process of excitation—and if some one suddenly proposes to me to do another thing, it is unpleasant for me. For it means that I must inhibit the strong excitatory process in which I was engaged, and only after this can I start a new one. . . ."
125. *op. cit.*, Sargant, p. 50.
126. Leonard Gilman, M.D., was formerly chief of the Psychiatric Section, Walter Reed General Hospital, and is a Diplomat of the American Board of Neurology and Psychiatry.
127. *Music and Your Emotions*, Gilman and Paperte, p. 30,31.
128. *The True Story of the Beatles*, Billy Shepherd, p. 70.
129. *Conditioned Reflex Therapy*, Andrew Salter, p. 26. "Hypnosis, word conditioning and emotional conditioning are thoroughly interwoven. They do not operate by different laws. They are aspects of the same laws. To understand those laws is to understand how to control human behavior." This statement unpacked contains the method for riot and revolution. The Beatles or the Mindbenders or whatever group they might be need only mass hypnotize 10 or 15 million American youth; condition their emotions through their music and then give forth the word or words for riot and revolt. The consequences are imponderable.
130. *Saturday Evening Post*, August 8-15, 1964.
131. *Post*, p. 25.
132. *Post*, p. 28.
133. *Milwaukee Sentinel*, April 28, 1964.
134. *Communist Activities in the Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Area*, HCUA Report, March 28, 29, 1955, p 657, 728, 770, 790, 796, 813. Many of these communists were in the UE Union; a union thrown out of the CIO in 1950 for being communist-dominated and controlled. Exhibit 9 states: "M. Michael Essin has been chief spokesman for all Communist causes in the Milwaukee area for several years past. As a lawyer he has defended practically every Communist cause and is the usual representative of any Communist in trouble with the law."
135. *Milwaukee Sentinel*, April 29, 1961.
136. *Seattle Post Intelligencer*, August 22, 1964, p. 6.
137. *Channel TV Magazine*, Week of Sept. 6-12, 1964. Purchased from Brown Rexall Drugs, 8th and Lincoln, Port Angeles, Washington.
138. See footnote 97 for part of the reason. Also footnote 93.
139. *American Institute of Hypnosis Journal*, Oct. 1963, p. 13 and *American Mercury*, Sept. 1961, p. 48. Hermina Eisele Brown, Director of Music Therapy Dept., New Jersey State Hospital, says that primitive rhythms are rarely good as they arouse basic instinct in the emotionally insecure person. Rock and roll has a direct bearing on delinquency since all delinquents are emotionally insecure.
140. *Hootenanny Song Book*, Irwin Silber and others, p. 12, "The other mainstream of musical tradition in America is, of course, African derived. Here stress is laid on rhythm, accent, beat, repetition and syncopation with the 'story line' often taking a back seat. Out of this milieu has developed the virtuoso folk guitarist so increasingly evident in today's folk scene. This virtuosity—I use the word advisedly—has begun to spill over into other areas of folk music." (See footnote 29)
- Hypnosis Journal*, *op. cit.*, p. 13. "Gundlach reported that tempo was by far the most important factor in arousing emotions in the listener, rhythm was second and last that melody range was the least significant."
141. *Reader's Digest*, Nov. 1964, p. 183. "In contrast, rock 'n' roll dulls the capacity for attention; the steady beat creates instead a kind of hypnotic monotony."
- Conditioned Reflex Therapy*, Andrew Salter, p. 26, "Hypnosis, word conditioning and emotional conditioning are thoroughly interwoven. They do not operate by different laws. They are aspects of the same laws. To understand those laws is to understand how to control human behavior."

142. *American Mercury*, Sept. 1961, p. 47. "A broken meter in the treble, played over an insistently regular beat in the left hand, with gradually increasing rapidity almost to the point of frenzy . . . is capable of producing the identical disintegrating and almost hysterical effect on an organism; as if a person would try to rush madly in two directions at the same time." (See footnote 97)
143. *Young Folk Song Book*, Simon and Schuster, New York, 1963, p. 9. ". . . perhaps now the guitar could be mightier than the Bomb." Peter Seeger.
144. One reporter told this writer that the Nation of Israel has banned the Beatles. Reason, according to the reporter, was Israel's fear of "mass hysteria."
145. *Seattle Daily Times*, August 22, 1964—front page.
146. *American Mercury*, Sept. 1961, p. 49.
147. *Teen Magazine*, Sept. 1964, p. 84.
148. *Atlantic Monthly*, July 1964, p. 82. "The statistical facts about the incidence and the prevalence of mental illness have been so widely publicized in the last decade that they have been synthesized in a series of clichés: 'Half the hospital beds in the country are occupied by mental patients;' 'One person in ten is sufficiently sick mentally or emotionally to require professional help;' 'One family in three will at some time place one of its members in a mental hospital;' 'Mental illness is the country's number-one health problem.' Unfortunately, these are not exaggerations or slogans but the simple truth. At the present time there are 500,000 patients in mental hospitals throughout the country; possibly one million are under treatment in clinics or other outpatient facilities; and countless thousands who need psychiatric help are receiving no treatment of any kind."
149. *The American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, "Demographic and Diagnostic Characteristics of Psychiatric Clinic Outpatients in the USA," 1961. Rosen, Bähn, Kramer, Vol. XXXIV, No. 3, April, 1964, distributed by the Health, Education and Welfare Department, p. 457.
150. J. Edgar Hoover states in his annual report on crime that delinquency is at an all time high. In his book *The Shook-up Generation*, Harrison E. Salisbury, New York Times correspondent, states that the one factor always present in the delinquent is "emotional insecurity." See footnote 97 for the relationship between "music" and emotions!
151. *Music, Its Secret Influence Through the Ages*, Cyril Scott, "Jazz music at its height very closely resembles the music of primitive savages. . . Its harsh ear-splitting percussion music inflamed, intoxicated, brutalized." Quoted in *American Mercury*, Sept. 1961, p. 45.
152. *Nature of Human Conflict*, A. R. Luria, p. 331, "The world literature of the last few decades has shown a marked tendency to accept the second point of view, supporting arguments that the destruction of human behavior only makes the individual revert backward through many generations, so that the affect returns to ancient phases of behaviour and the neurosis regresses toward an archaic stage of development."
153. *What is Hypnosis*, Andrew Salter, p. 80, "If we look at the world with our eyes wide open, the conclusion is inescapable. This is the half-century of mass conditioning. The psychological principles involved in the manipulation of a single mind have turned out to be just as true applied to the manipulation of hundreds of millions of minds." *Brainwashing*, Edward Hunter, p. 238, 285. See footnote 5.
154. See footnote 62.
155. See footnote 35.
156. See footnote 29.
157. It has been brought to our attention that some television programs for children (usually in the morning) are using Young People's Records and Children's Record Guild records.
158. *The Conservative American*, Clarence Manion, p. 4, 197; *Collectivism Challenges Christianity*, Verne P. Kaub, p. 53, 56, 57. John Adams, a member of the committee appointed to draft the American "Declaration," was the only individual (aside from Benjamin Franklin) who made any suggestion as to the terminology to be used. He recalls in a letter written to Jefferson in 1813 that they had based their immortal document to a great extent on the tenets laid down in the Bible. He wrote: "The general principles on which the fathers achieved independence were the general principles of Christianity."
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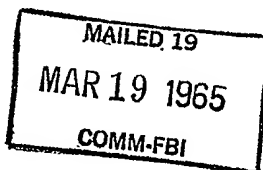
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FORT LAUDERDALE
ANTI-COMMUNISM CRUSADE

A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

1229 E. Las Olas Blvd.

FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA

3/15/65

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington D.C.

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HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 6-21-91 BY SP3/EK/10-88

Dear Sir:

A friend handed me a copy of a Reprint from
the F.B.I. Law Enforcement Bulletin of October, 1964
Could we have several hundred copies or per-
mission to reprint this article. We expect the
rush of College students here in a week or
two and we are getting reprints ready to give to
them.

Some time ago we had a reprint with the
communist line in pictures. If this is still
available we would also like to have a
copy and permission to reprint. If you have
anything else suitable we would appreciate
having it as soon as possible

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Sincerely

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Rev. Ralph L. Mahu (per mm)

CORRESPONDENCE

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach *DeLoach*

DATE: 2-23-65

FROM : M. A. Jones *M. A. Jones*

SUBJECT: "COMMUNISM, HYPNOTISM
AND THE BEATLES" BY
[REDACTED]

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Reference is made to letter of 2-11-65 from [REDACTED] enclosing his latest publication, "Communism, Hypnotism and the Beatles," which he claims exposes the communists' master music plan for youth. [REDACTED] also thanks the Director for material on the DuBois Clubs.

Captioned booklet discusses communist use of brainwashing in the plan of conquering the minds of men. It claims that communists have contrived an elaborate, scientific technique to render American youth useless through nerve-jamming, etc. This plan involves conditioned reflexes, hypnotism, and certain kinds of music. Such music includes "sleepy-time records for children" and rock-and-roll music, according to [REDACTED]. He castigates the Beatles for their part in causing emotional instability, etc., and urges citizens to fight the sales of communist records. The Footnotes, page 16, recommends "Masters of Deceit"; page 26 mentions that Mr. Hoover in his annual report has stated delinquency is at an all-time high.

Bufiles reflect that [REDACTED] has been reportedly chosen as successor to Reverend Billy James Hargis, head of the Christian Crusade. By letter 1-5-65 we furnished [REDACTED] a copy of the October Law Enforcement Bulletin introduction on the DuBois Clubs.

OBSERVATIONS:

In view of the extremist nature of [REDACTED] booklet, it is felt that no acknowledgement should be made of his letter.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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March 30, 1965

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Reverend Ralph L. Mahn
Fort Lauderdale Anti-Communism
Crusade
1229 East Las Olas Boulevard
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

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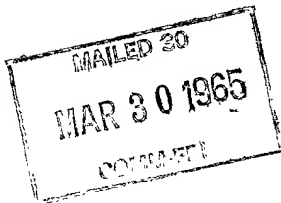
Dear Mr. Mahn:

Mr. Hoover read your letter of March 15th
upon his return to the city and asked me to thank you for your
thoughtfulness in writing.

He also requested me to tell you that budgetary
limitations preclude furnishing our literature to you and that he
prefers you do not reprint any FBI material. Mr. Hoover regrets
he cannot be of help in this instance but trusts you understand.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary



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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. The Miami
Office advised against furnishing our material to correspondent
inasmuch as it was determined that the Fort Lauderdale Anti-
Communism Crusade is a local chapter of the Christian Crusade
which is headed on a national level by Billie James Hargis.

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Date: 3/23/65

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, (94-494) (RUC)

RE: REVEREND RALPH L. MAHN
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
RESEARCH MATTERS
(CORRESPONDENCE AND TOURS)

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DATE 6-22-79 BY SP30
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ReBuairtel to Miami, 3/19/65, enclosing copy of
letter to the Bureau of Rev. L. MAHN, dated 3/15/65.

The "Miami Herald", a daily newspaper published in
Miami, Fla., issue of 8/10/64, carried an article entitled
"The Far Right", written by PAT MANGAN and BILL MANSFIELD.
This article sub-headed "Far Right Groups Flourish in Ft.
Lauderdale", stated in part that a [redacted] among
other right-wing activities, directs the Ft. Lauderdale Anti-
Communist Crusade. The article stated that the "Crusade"
was organized by Rev. RALPH L. MAHN, a Baptist, who turned
over leadership to [redacted] when he became ill. It
is noted that [redacted] the anti-Communist book
store at 1229 E. Las Olas Blvd., Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. The
address of this book store is the return address appearing
on Rev. MAHN's letter to the Bureau.

According to Detective [redacted] Ft.
Lauderdale, Fla. PD, [redacted] has admitted to him to
being a member of the John Birch Society. [redacted]
name has come to the attention of the Ft. Lauderdale PD
on 3 separate occasions when she was involved in right-wing
political activities (10/24/62, 4/30/63 & 5/22/64).

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Special Agent in Charge

CORRESPONDENCE

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Records of local agency discloses that Rev. RALPH LESLIE MAHN is a white male, DOB 3/24/14, 5'6", 168 lbs., resides at W. Campus Circle, Melrose Park, Fla. He has no arrest record locally other than traffic citations.

On 3/23/65, a pretext telephone call was placed by SA WILLIAM D. NEUMANN to [redacted] anti-Communist book store. It was ascertained from an unidentified female that the Ft. Lauderdale Anti-Communist Crusade is headed by the Rev. RALPH MAHN. This organization has no connection with Dr. FREDERICK SCHWARTZ' Christian Anti-Communist Crusade, however, the Ft. Lauderdale Anti-Communist Crusade was identified as being a local chapter of the "Christian Crusade", Post Office Box 977, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma, which organization is headed on a national level by Rev. BILLIE JAMES HARGIS, Tulsa, Okla.

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Due to the controversy surrounding this organization, the Miami Office recommends that the Bureau not comply with request of Rev. MAHN in his letter to the Bureau, dated 3/15/65.

May 18, 1965

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Dear



Mr. Hoover received your letter of May 11th and asked me to thank you for your expression of confidence in the FBI.

With respect to the publication you mentioned, Mr. Hoover has not made a statement concerning it.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

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NOTE: Outgoing 1/5/65 sent [redacted] information concerning the DuBois Club. We have had prior cordial correspondence with him and nothing derogatory. Bureau library has a copy of the publication, "Horizon," published by the American Heritage Company and the address is listed as 551 5th Avenue, New York 17, New York. It appears to be a very substantial publication. It would appear that [redacted] is referring to the publication, "New Horizons for Youth," which was published in New York City out of "Advance" and subsequently went defunct and turned into the publication, "Insurgent," of the W. E. B. DuBois Clubs.

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CHRISTIAN *A Non-Profit Organization*

THE INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY of BILLY JAMES HARGIS

POST OFFICE BOX 977

TULSA 2, OKLAHOMA

May 11, 1965



CRUSADE

J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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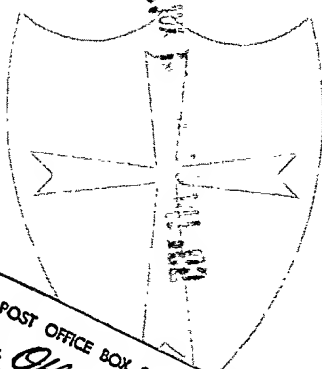
I recall a few months back or perhaps even a year or so, your mentioning a new magazine called HORIZON. I am wondering if this is the same one that is found at 551 Fifth Avenue, New York 17, New York. If so, I certainly would appreciate your bulletin on that particular magazine since we've had some confrontation with it, but have little material concerning it.

Again let me take this opportunity to thank you for the great work you are doing for God and our country.

Sincerely in Christ,



Dr. Billy James Hargis



POST OFFICE BOX 977
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74102

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-424820)

DATE: 5-18-65

FROM : *LOT* SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (100-6546) -C-

SUBJECT: ^① THE CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(INTERNAL SECURITY)

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see Re Tampa letter to Bureau, 4-7-65, captioned
"CHRISTIAN CRUSADE MOVEMENT, RM (ORGANIZATION)," and
Bulet to Tampa, 4-21-65, captioned as above.

Enclosed herewith for Tampa is a Xerox copy of a LHM
concerning the Christian Crusade, dated 8-5-63, which has
previously been furnished to the Bureau. There has been no
material change in the Christian Crusade since date of LHM.

The source utilized in LHM is

who is an established contact of the Oklahoma City Office.

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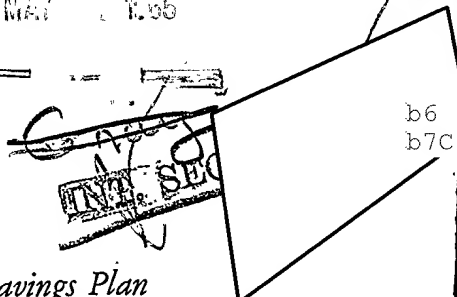
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August 17, 1965

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DATE 6-27-99 BY SP3 JEC/agp

Mr. Julian E. Williams
Research Director
Christian Crusade
Post Office Box 977
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74102

Dear Mr. Williams:

Your communication dated August 10th has been received.

In response to your request, our annual report is published during the latter part of each ^{calendar} year for the preceding fiscal year. Arrangements have been made to send you a copy at that time. However, I am enclosing a copy of a press release concerning our activities during fiscal year 1965.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

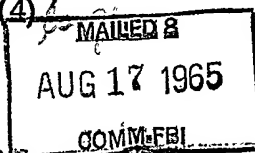
Enclosure

Press release 7-14-65

Follow-up made for Room 4732

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing derogatory regarding Mr. Williams and we have had prior limited cordial correspondence, and nothing derogatory regarding Christian Crusade.

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CHRISTIAN *A Non-Profit Organization*

THE INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY of BILLY JAMES HARGIS

POST OFFICE BOX 977

TULSA 2, OKLAHOMA

August 10, 1965



CRUSADE

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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DATE 6-21-79 BY SP3
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

If it has been published, I would greatly appreciate a copy
of the FBI Annual Report for the Fiscal Year 1965.

Thank you very much for your kind co-operation.

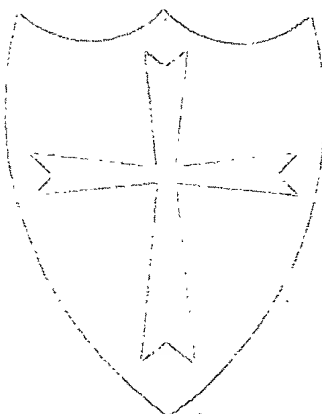
Sincerely yours,

Christian
Crusade

Julian E. Williams (pg)
Julian E. Williams
Research Director

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POST OFFICE BOX 977

Tulsa, Oklahoma 74102



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September 27, 1965

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Dear



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Your letter of September 21st has been received.

In response to your inquiry, I would like to point out that this Bureau is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and, as such, neither makes evaluations nor draws conclusions as to the character or integrity of any organization, publication or individual. Therefore, I am sure you will understand why I cannot comment as you desire.

I am enclosing some material which I trust you will find of interest. Perhaps you may also wish to refer to my books, "Masters of Deceit" and "A Study of Communism." These were written to help readers gain an insight into the strategy and tactics of communists, both in this country and abroad. Copies may be available at your local library.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)

"Our Heritage Of Greatness"
"Let's Fight Communism Sanely!"
"Faith in God--Our Answer To Communism"

NOTE: Correspondent cannot be identified in Bureau files. [Redacted]
[Redacted] is not identifiable on the basis of the information available. Billy James Hargis and the Christian Crusade are well-known to the Bureau.

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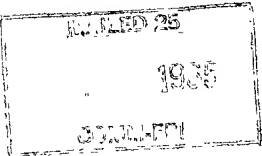
Your letter of September 27th has been received.

In response to your inquiry, I would like to point out that information in our files must be maintained as confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice. I am sure you will understand why I cannot comment as you desire, and I hope you will not infer either that we do or do not have material in our files relating to the Christian Crusade.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. The Christian Crusade is headed by Reverend Billy James Hargis and is a well-known extreme right-wing organization. We have not investigated this group. (100-424820)

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Sept. 21, 1965

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F.B.I. Office
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

✓ Last Sunday night I heard Billy James Hargis and
[Redacted] over WBBM in Chicago. F.L.L., *I like*

O I have heard people strongly condemn Billy James Hargis
and the Christian Crusade.

From what they said I can't understand why so many
people are against them. It sounded to me like they are sincerely
trying to warn us of the subtle tactics of the Communists. They
mentioned some books that I would like to send for. But I don't
want to get involved if they are not what they claim to be.

What is your advice?

Very truly yours,
[Redacted]

Address as per envelope:
[Redacted]

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F. B. I. Office
Washington, D. C.

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What is your advice?
Very truly yours,
[redacted]

CORRESPONDENCE
Mrs. Robert Burnette
503 South Euclid
Marissa, Illinois 62657

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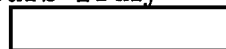
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J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Dept. of Justice
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

I have recently become interested in the Christian Crusade program. Before I engage in a program involving government or politics I think I should make sure it is completely American and not subversive in any form. So please send me any information you may have concerning this organization.

Yours Truly



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: October 21, 1965

FROM : SAC, Minneapolis (100-12917)

SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN CRUSADE
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(SECURITY MATTER)

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There are enclosed for the Bureau: "The Welding Distributor," issue September/October, 1964; one sheet headed "Escalating" the Viet Nam War; one document headed "Factors Operative in a Post-Arms Control Situation" dated April, 1965, bearing the imprint "Christian Crusade, P. O. Box 977, Tulsa 2, Oklahoma"; one envelope postmarked Shreveport, Louisiana.

The above material was made available to this office on October 20, 1965, by [redacted] Northern Welders Supply Co., 2402 East Hennepin, Minneapolis, Minnesota, a welding supply distributor.

His firm regularly receives the publication "The Welding Distributor." He has noted, from reviewing the publication, that [redacted] frequently writes editorials of a right-wing character.

His firm recently received the enclosed sheet and the document dated April, 1965, in an envelope postmarked Shreveport, Louisiana, which contains no indication of the sender. He became alarmed that what purports to be a contract with the North American Aviation, Inc., should have been made available in one way or another for public distribution.

It is noted that in the sheet headed "Escalating" [redacted]

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the statement is made that the document, referring to the contract, had been "discovered" quite accidentally by some workers in the Downey, California, plant of North American Aviation. [redacted] said that he then compared the printing on the enclosed envelope with the printing appearing on the mailing address sticker which comes to Northern Welders. He is convinced that the printing on the envelope and on the publication are identical, meaning that the publishers of "The Welding Distributor" made their addressograph plates or other addressing machine available to the distributors of the above contract and sheet.

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"The Welding Distributor" purports to be published by the Welding Engineer Publications, Inc., Post Office Box 28, Morton Grove, Illinois. The postmark on the publication indicates that it is mailed from Rochelle, Illinois.

For the information of offices receiving copies of this communication, there is enclosed for each of such offices a Xerox copy of the sheet headed "'Escalating' the Viet Nam War."

A review of the so-called contract indicates that it is some sort of a projection, presumably of the nuclear situation up to the year 1965; also of the possibility of a bilateral U.S.-USSR agreement on the exchange of military missions.

It is recalled that some time ago there was some publicity in the press that the U. S. Air Force had commissioned some firm, not recalled, to make such a projection.

It is believed that the enclosed material was distributed at least to all subscribers of the publication "The Welding Distributor"; therefore, no letterhead memorandum for dissemination is being prepared at this time since this matter probably has already come to the Bureau's attention.

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"Escalating" the Viet Nam War....

....reminds us all too painfully that defending America must become again the most important, exclusive job that any of us has to perform. And, welding is one of the most vital links in our chain of defense.

Any weak link in that chain, therefore, should be of the utmost concern to those of us in the welding industry.

It is for that reason that I feel impelled to send to you, enclosed with this letter, a copy of an UNCLASSIFIED defense document--an official contract (#4916387) between the Air Force and North American Aviation, dated April, 1965.

IT IS A THOROUGHLY FRIGHTENING DOCUMENT, BECAUSE IT FORECASTS THE TOTAL DISARMAMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE LOSS OF OUR NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY--WITHIN TEN YEARS!

It "schedules", month by month, year by year, the wars that are yet to be fought, the leaders who are to be assassinated, the subversion that is to be accomplished, the governments that are to be overthrown--AND THE CONCESSIONS TO BE MADE BY OUR NATION.

The document was "discovered", quite accidentally, by some workers in the Downey, California, plant of North American Aviation. Requesting copies of the contract, they were freely distributed. One of the employees, an electronics research specialist, was so alarmed and incensed that he took the contract to his pastor. He attempted to publicize its contents, but found a wall of silence from the press. Copies were sent to several United States Senators and Congressmen. Still no repercussions.

Then he brought it, personally, to Dr. Billy James Hargis, founder and director of Christian Crusade, the nationally-known anti-communist organization, who immediately broadcast its implications over a nationwide radio network, and reproduced the entire document for the education of members of his Crusade. Thus, it was brought to my attention, and after reading it thoroughly, my responsibility was obvious: to bring it to the attention of our industry, and ask for your action.

Read it carefully. Digest its meanings. Discuss it with your friends and associates. AND THEN, ACT. Don't merely write your Congressmen--DEMAND their investigation and action. You have power and influence, as an individual citizen and as a member of a vital industry. Use that power IMMEDIATELY for the preservation of present and future generations of Americans.

Respectfully yours,

A concerned supplier
--of the welding industry

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